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OUTLINES.

The biggest failure in Germany since 1901 occurred yesterday, when the old banking house of Haller, Soeble & Co., suspended with liabilities estimated as high as $7,250,000.——Sensations followed each other on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday and gave the market almost a panicky character, the cause of the trouble being the suspension of Otton Heinze & Co., the failure of the old banking house of Haller, Soehle & Co., of Berlin, the failure of the State Savings Bank of Butte, Montana, and other depressing occurrences.——In Chicago yesterday wheat experienced a severe decline, the December option dropping 3 cents and the May option 2 7-8 cents owing to the condition of the New York stock market, and a decline of 5 cents a bushel at Winnipeg, where the receipts are large.——The State Savings Bank, at Butte, Montana, closed its doors yesterday when a run on it was caused by a rumor of the failure of Otton Heinze & Co., of New York, Heinze being one of the copper magnates and largely interested in the bank, which has deposits of $4,250,000. ——Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson were in London yesterday seeking the advice of Father Vaughn, explain their elopement and get him to legalize their marriage; the girl's father, Martin Maloney, the Philadelphia millionaire, has probably gone to Rome to consult the Pope about the marital troubles of his daughter.——As the committee on proxies was not ready to report yesterday, there was not meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central Railroad at Chicago; E. H. Harriman told the newspaper men that he was sick of the continued attacks on railroads and that the newspapers could do much to settle the situation by refusing to print one side of a proposition until the man on the other side could be seen and given a chance to let his defence go along with the charges.——The Episcopal General Convention at Richmond yesterday elected as missionary bishop the Rev. Frederick Foulke Reese, D. D., of Nashville, Tenn., and the Rev. Henry Deane Robinson, of Racine, Wis.; the convention decided to elect suffragan bishops to be either negroes or whites to officiate among either negroes or white people subject to the regular bishop of a diocese.——T. W. House, private banker of Houston, Tex., with deposits of more than $2,000,000 failed yesterday.——Near Glace Bayns, Labrador, yesterday, Marconi's wireless telegraph system from America to Europe was inaugurated, the station handling from 5,000 to 10,000 words of newspaper dispatches and congratulatory messages.——New York markets: Money on call strong and higher 4 to 7 per cent., ruling rate 6, closing bid 5, offered at 6; spot cotton steady 11.75; flour dull; wheat weak, No. 2 red 1.10 elevator; corn weak, No. 2, 73 1-2 elevator; oats steady, mixed 56; turpentine quiet; rosin firm.

"Harriman blocked by the court at Chicago," is the heading over a Chicago dispatch referring to Stuyvesant Fish's fight against the railroad magnate. Harriman will not relish this new block system.

Hearst is not in politics for fun. By fusing his Independence League with the New York Republicans he stands a chance of getting half a loaf, Marion Butler once set an example in that particular.

"How much is a dollar worth, anyhow?" asks a Republican contemporary. It isn't worth as much as it used to be. High prices of commodities have decreased the dollar's purchasing value. We have to chase more dollars than we used to in order to make both ends meet.

New York alienists have decided that the Rev. Maxwell Walenta and Mrs. Nora Bauer are both crazy because they claimed to be each other's affinity. If "affinities" are left to themselves, either one or both will sooner or later come to the conclusion that one at least is bughouse.

The Rev. Charles F. Aked, the new English pastor of John D. Rockefeller's Baptist Church in New York, preached a sermon on Sunday in which he declared that "the Bible Jonah is a myth." However, we know a lot of real Jonahs and they keep us dodging them all the time to keep from getting in their class.

Death comes to the human family in many curious and unexpected ways. At Owensboro, Ky., almost instant death befell ten-year-old Jesse Gore when a candle moth flew into his mouth and lodged in his windpipe. A doctor was in the house at the time, but could do nothing to save the boy's life.

With unfeigned sorrow the Star takes note of the death of John Charles McNeill, poet and raconteur on the Charlotte Observer. He died yesterday afternoon at his home in Scotland county, whither he had retired a few days ago on account of illness. Mr. McNeill's death deprives North Carolina of a son of marked genius and recognized brilliancy and cuts short a career which was adding

BIG CROWD AT SHOW

Estimated That Fifteen Thousand Saw Buffalo Bill Wild West Yesterday.

STIRRING SCENES IN ARENA

Lived Over Times That Were in Early History of This Country—Col. Cody as Popular as of Yore. Car Service.

Buffalo Bill's Wild West and Congress of Rough Riders of the World were seen in Wilmington yesterday, afternoon and night, by between 15,000 and 20,000 people, the first named estimate having perhaps more correctly guaged the crowds in attendance upon the two exhibitions. It was a typical Wild West show of rather large proportions and those who witnessed it for the most part were well pleased with what they saw and heard. The shown arrived on two special trains over the Coast Line from Florence, S. C., yesterday morning and headquarters were soon established just beyond Seventeenth and Princess streets, on the Carolina Heights property. The weather was ideal for show day, and the grounds were soon covered with the idly curious to witness the always interesting spectacle of seeing the show unload and get into temporary quarters for the day. It was not necessary to erect all of the big amphitheatre for Wilmington with its seating capacity of over 20,000 but the crowd was amply provided for and the tent comfortably filled with a good-natured,, happy-go-lucky throng who went because they felt it was a "bounden duty" to see all that was going and pass in judgment upon the merits or demerits of what was offered.

The public was not expecting and did not see the ancient and honorable street parade, and therefore, the absence of thronged sidewalks and young Americans astride every convenient cross-arm of a kindly telegraph pole was lacking, but what was lost in this respect was fully made up in added snap and ginger to the arenic exhibition out at the grounds. Col. Cody has cut the street parade for the past five years and experience has taught him that there is no good reason for a return to it. The absence of "our old favorite," the steam calliope, was also noted by the old-timers, but what was lost here was made up in the appearance on the street quite incidentally of an old-fashioned hurdy-gurdy and a very immodest little "cousin of ours," which held forth at street corners down town all the afternoon.

Col. Cody, otherwise known as Buffalo Bill, was the centre about which the interest formed at the show grounds. Col. Cody presented his Congress of Rough Riders at the very outset and with a wave of his gray hat the thousands who thronged the show tent were bidden to the scenes of the days that were and the greatest exhibition of horsemanship and marksmanship that is now extant. They were there, horses and riders of every Nation and every clime. There were the Western cowboys and cowgirls, the Cossacks, Arabs, Indians, Japs, Russians, Britishers with men from every other part of the universe. Clothed in their fantastic garments, the Indians in war paint and feathers, gayly caparisoned horses, trappings and investments, the scene was a picturesque one. The exhibition differed very little from that seen here by Buffalo Bill before, but there was a satisfaction in seeing it all over again the very best in its line that the world affords according to all estimates of shows and exhibitions of whatever nature. Feats of horsemanship that would seem quite impossible, were easily gone through with, agile riders dashing about the arena in every conceivable posture and under every conceivable condition. The hold-up of the old Deadwood coach, the stirring Indian battles and the attack upon the Indian camp were all realistic and participated in by those who actually took part in such scenes before. The animals give evidence of being well kept and excellently trained. It is without a doubt in this respect the greatest aggregation in the world.

Col. Cody's marvelous exhibitions of marksmanship need not to be described, but to be seen. Riding swiftly to and fro before the vast audience an Indian attendant riding equally as fast before him, would throw the missiles into the air, and with equal swiftness, Col. Cody would break each of them as fast as they went up with that unerring aim which has made him world-famous.

An added feature this season with the show is a company of Arabian acrobats under the leadership of Abou Hammad. Their agile and clever performance elicited the applause of all. Nine men standing at once upon the stalwart shoulders of the leader of the troupe and the turning wonderful somersaults all about the lot almost makes one dizzy to contemplate, but it is all there and there can be no optical illusion of what the spectator sees before his own very eyes.

The broncho busting of the cowboys of the plains was also interesting, this feature being led by Andy Belknap, one of the finest riders ever seen here. Annie Schaeffer, the only woman said was also seen in this act.

Johnnie Baker is another crack shot with the shows and is quite up to his principal with his marvelous exhibition. Mr. Baker is really the manager of the vast machinery in the amphitheatre and with the shrill of a whistle or the beck of a hand everything moves as smoothly as a rehearsal of high-class opera. The shooting of Baker through a mirror is especially mystifying and he was given warmest applause.

The street car service to the grounds during the afternoon was good, but as the vast throngs poured out of the tent after the show and started home, they were disappointed to find that a car had burned out on the line and traffic was at a standstill until most of the large crowd had walked into town. The accident was quite as unfortunate for the company as it was for those who had to do the sidewalk stunt home. The loss to the company by this simple little accident was, perhaps, several hundred dollars, as the streets were lined with people coming in afoot, and these same people would have taken a car had the line been in operation.

The shows left during the night for Goldsboro, where an exhibition will be given today. The next and last stop for this season is at Richmond, Va. After the appearance at Richmond on Saturday the Wild West will go into Winter quarters at Bridgeport, Conn.

The order about the show grounds during the afternoon was excellent, and the police made not a single arrest anywhere around the scene of the

WEDDED IN SAINT PAUL'S

Miss Annie Kay Harper Becomes Attractive Bride of Dr. Ernest Charles Vitou, of Goldsboro. Bridal Tour North.

In a beautiful pink and white wedding yesterday afternoon at five o'clock in Saint Paul's Episcopal Church, Fourth and Orange streets, Miss Annie Kay Harper, the attractive young daughter of Captain and Mrs. James T. Harper, of this city, became the bride of Dr. Ernest Charles Vito, formerly of Akron, Ohio but who is now a leading dental surgeon of Goldsboro, North Carolina, the beautiful Episcopal service that made them man and wife having been impressively spoken by the Rev. A. W. Seabrease, rector of the parish, in the presence of a large number of relatives and admiring friends of the bride and groom. The church was beautifully decorated with palms, ferns, Southern smilax and other evergreens while here and there were clusters of pink and white crysanthemums carrying out quite effectively and prettily the color scheme, a soft light from numerous candelabra adding beauty to the marriage scene, which is described as one of the most elegant of the early Autumn in Wilmington.

As the guests assembled a number of classic selections were rendered by Mr. Alf. H. Yopp, the organist, and at the appointed hour the gladsome strains of the wedding march heralded the approach of the bridal party. The matron of honor was Mrs. James E. Womack, of Wilmington, and the groom was attended as best man by Mr. C. Gordon Smith, of Rocky Mount, N. C. The bridesmaids were Miss Ella Windsor, of Southport, and Misses Annie Louise Price, Mary Belle Sneed and Gertrude Bryan, of Wilmington, while the groomsmen were Messrs. Fred Harper, of Lynchburg, Va., a brother of the bride; Mr. Francis Giddens, of Goldsboro; Dr. J. W. Stanley and Mr. Joseph A. Price, of this city. The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother, Dr. Chas. T. Harper, of Wilmington, by whom she was given away. The groom and his best man entered from a side door and when the ensemble at the altar was complete, the solemn words were spokn that joined the two hearts as one.

The bride was exquisitely gowned in a white lace robe over taffeta, her bridal veil being caught up with orange blossoms, while she carried white bride's roses and Lilies of the Valley.

The dame of honor was becomingly gowned in pink point d'sprit over taffeta and carried white crysanthemums.

The bridesmaids were pretty in gowns of white silk with Persian girdles and carrying white crysanthemums.

Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents, on Church street, where an elegant wedding repast was served and Dr. Vitou and bride received the happiest felicitations of those assembled. Later they were accompanied by the wedding party to the union station whence they took their departure on the northbound Atlantic Coast Line train at 7 o'clock for a bridal tour North. Returning in about two weeks they will be at home at Goldsboro, where the groom has a large and lucrative practice.

Both Dr. and Mrs. Vitou have the best wishes of many friends in Wilmington. The groom is well known here, having been located for several years at Southport, and he is congratulated on the rare good fortune that is his in the happy event of yesterday. Miss Harper is a young woman of most attractive personality, and is much loved and admired in a wide circle of friends in this city. While many will regret her departure from Wilmington, they will hope that her visits here will be often.

THE TRANSFER MADE

Consolidated Properties Taken Over By Tidewater Power Co. Under Long Lease.

TO INCREASE ITS FINANCES

Larger Corporation Nearly Identical in Interest Takes Control of Local Traction Lines and Other Public Utilities Operated.

The formal transfer of the affairs of the Consolidated Railways, Light & Power Company to the Tidewater Power Company, of Wilmington, this being through the means of a ninety-nine-year lease of the properties of the first named to the latter corporation, was effected in this city yesterday at meetings of the boards of directors and stockholders of each of the companies. This step has been in contemplation for some time for the purpose of more adequately financing the traction lines of the Consolidated Company and at a recent meeting of the Board of Aldermen, the formal transfer of the franchises and rights of the former company were transferred to the latter.

The meeting of the directors of the C. R., L. & P. Company was first held in the offices of the company in the MacRae building, on Front street, at 10:30 o'clock and this was immediately followed by the meeting of the stockholders at 11 A. M. All matters to be later passed upon by the Tidewater Power Company were agreed upon and the directors of the Tidewater met in the offices of the Investment Trust Company, fifth floor of the Southern Building, at 11:30 and the stockholders at 12 o'clock. The lease for ninety-nine years, which is practically regarded as a perpetuity, was then concluded between the officers and stockholders, most of whom are in common in the two companies. After the meeting the following statement was given out from the offices of the company as to the objects of the transfer:

"The purpose of transferring the control of the Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Company to the Tidewater Power Company by purchase of a majority of the stock of the Consolidated Company, and a lease of the Consolidated Company to the Tidewater Power Company for a period of 99 years, is to have an operating company which is large enough and which has sufficient financial strength to take care of the extensions and improvements which have been necessitated and which in future will be necessitated by the rapid growth of the city of Wilmington.

"The Consolidated Company was planned and organized on financial lines which were adequate five years ago, in 1902, but not adequate for the present time, and especially, would not provide for the future.

"The recent double tracking of the important streets in Wilmington practically gives the Tidewater Power Company double the efficiency for serving the public that the Consolidated Company had, the cars running every five minutes on Front street, and by running at more frequent intervals than formerly on Princess street will be able to handle the traffic without delay; and, whereas a ten-minute schedule was hardly a practical convenience to people whose time is valuable, with cars running every five minutes, the convenience is increased to such an extent that the public naturally makes much greater use of the facilities for travel, especially that portion of the public interested in saving time and moving quickly from one portion of the city to another."

The Tidewater Power Company with its enlarged scope and financial resources will be in a position to be an important factor in the future development of Wilmington, as the Consolidated Company has been in the past.

Endorsed State Prohibition.

Mr. George E. Leftwich, of this city, has returned from Jacksonville, Onslow county, where he has been attending the sessions of the Wilmington Baptist Association, of which he had the honor of again being elected moderator. The most important action taken at the Association was, perhaps, an endorsement of the principle of State prohibition, pledging the Association to assist in driving the distillery and saloon from those counties that are "still cursed" by their presence, and expressing hearty sympathy with the State Anti-Saloon League.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. VanB. Metts—Policy of $25,000 Paid.

Business Locals.

H. F. Wilder—Basement For Rent.
Queen City Cycle Co. — Bicycle Stolen.

Two young men experienced in "making ready" and running job presses and with one or two years practice in hand composition may secure employment at good wages by applying

CLAIM BRIDES IN MACON

Prominent Wilmington Young People on Pleasant Mission in Georgia City — Josephson-Dannebaum and Ottinger-Solomon.

Many Wilmington friends and not a few out of the city will be interested in two wedding ceremonies that took place on Tuesday and yesterday in Macon, Ga., when Mr. Gustav Dannebaum claimed as a bride Miss Annie Josephson, of that city, and Mr. Isaac Weill Solomon, of this city, was joined in marriage with Miss Agnes Ottinger, of Quincy, Fla. Of the wedding of Mr. Dannebaum and Miss Josephson, the Macon News of yesterday says:

"A beautiful ceremony performed by Rabbi Harry Weiss at the Temple Beth Israel last evening at half after 8 o'clock, united for life Miss Annie Josephson, of this city, and Mr. Gustav Dannenbaum, of Wilmington, N. C.

"The temple was beautifully decorated with palms and cut flowers, and a large assemblage of friends and relatives witnessed the impressive nuptial ceremony. The entrance of the bridal party was heralded by the opening bars of the Wedding March, under the skilful touch of Mrs. S. A. C. Everett, who presided at the grand pipe organ. The four ushers came first, Mr. Ralph Altmayer, Mr. Gates Maxelbaum, Mr. Maurice Michael and Mr. Moses Newman. The other attendants were: Mrs. Maurice Michael, of Athens, Matron of honor, who was gowned in white messaline satin; bridesmaids, Miss Saidie Meyer, of New York; Miss Edna Popper, Miss Gertrude Thorner, Miss Minette Blum, Miss Agnes Ottinger and Miss Miriam Newman, all wearing empire gowns of white chiffon over white silk, with yellow empire sashes and bouquets of yellow chrysanthemums. The groomsmen were: Mr. Leon O'Weill, of Goldsboro, N. C.; Mr. Isaac Solomon, of Wilmington, N. C.; Mr. Albert Skalowski, of Los Angles, Cal.; Mr. Max Harris, Mr. Pinkus Happ and Mr. Sam. Weichselbaum.

"Mr. Dannenbaum was attended by his best man, Mr. Joseph Jacobi, of Wilmington.

"The bride looked radiantly lovely in her wedding gown an empire one of princesse lace, worn over white satin. Her long tulle veil enveloping the petite form was fastened to her dark hair with a coronet of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of bride roses and maiden hair fern, tied with long tulle streamers.

"The ceremony was followed by a beautiful reception at the Progress Club, at which there were about two hundred guests, the bride's mother Mrs. R. Josephson, receiving with the bride and groom and other members of the bridal party. Mrs. Josephson was handsomely gowned in black lace worn over white taffeta.

"During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Dannenbaum left on a wedding trip East, the bride changing her wedding dress for a going away gown of royal blue cloth, with which she wore hat, gloves and shoes to match.

"A delightful ante-nuptial affair for the bridal party was the buffet supper at which Miss Edna Popper, one of the bridesmaids entertained."

Of a wedding reception and ball given in honor of several brides in Macon during October the same paper says:

"The ball given at the Progress Club Monday evening was quite a brilliant affair, in honor of Mrs. Gates Waxelbaum, and Mrs. Ralph Altmayer, two charming brides, who have recently come to Macon, Miss Josephson whose marriage to Mr. Gustav Dannenbaum was a beautiful one of last evening, Miss Agnes Goldsmith Ottinger, who will wed Mr. Isaac Weill Solomon, of Wilmington, N. C., on Thursday afternoon, and Miss Bertha Wachtel, who will be one of the most beautiful brides of the winter, when on December 18. she will be married to Mr. Sigmund B. Roser, of Louisville Ky.

"The handsome club was a scene of gaiety and happiness. It was decorated elaborately with palms and the merry dancers kept time to the strains of music from Guttenberger's orchestra, which played throughout the evening until 12 o'clock, when an elegant supper was served buffet.

"The five honorees are all beautiful young women, and were exquisitely gowned for the evening. Miss Annie Josephson, now Mrs. Dannenbaum was a charming and petite brunette, gowned in an embroidered white chiffon, worn over primrose satin.

"Miss Agnes Ottinger, one of the most beautiful and admired of the bevy of lovely honor guests, wore an exquisitely hand-made gown of white satin, a tunic effect, with empire back and princesse front, cut decolette, and trimmed with point applique and Irish crochet lace, and she carried an armful of American beauty roses.

"There were quite a number of visiting ladies and gentlemen present, who are in the city to attend the Josephson-Dannenbaum, and the Ottinger-Solomon weddings and some beautiful costumes were noted among these. Mrs. Bluethenthal, of Wilmington, N. C., wore a lavender messaline. Mrs. Wellhouse, of Atlanta, was gowned in a light blue Rajah silk elaborately braided and trimmed with lace. Miss Minnie Ottinger, of Quincy, Fla., wore blue gloves and blue slippers completed the costume and she carried pink roses. Mrs. Adolph Einstein, of Kinston, N. C., was gowned in white chiffon worn over blue taffeta and trimmed with lace.

"There was quite a large attendance and the function was one of the most delightful ever given at the Progress Club."

READ THE STAR BUSINESS LO

BRYAN AT STATE FAIR

"Great Commoner" Spoke to Forty Thousand Carolinians at Raleigh Yesterday.

"AVERAGE MAN" HIS THEME

Luncheon Served on the Grounds. Tribute to Governor Glenn and Other State Leaders—Came From Greensboro.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 17.—Today was Bryan Day at the State Fair and the general opinion is that it was the biggest day in point of attendance in the history of the Fair. It is estimated that nearly forty thousand people passed through the gates in the course of the day. Mr. Bryan arrived early in the morning from Greensboro, and at half past ten o'clock was accorded an informal reception in the Yarborough Hotel, immediately after which he was escorted to the Fair grounds by the officials and marshals of the Fair and the special committee.

Mr. Bryan delivered his speech on "The Average Man," being introduced by Governor Glenn. The great Nebraskan paid a tribute to Governor Glenn by saying that he was glad to come into a State whose chief executive had displayed the sympathy with the people and the moral courage to do his duty that Gov. Glenn had displayed.

"If the average man knows what is best for him, he can't be anything else but a Democrat," said Mr. Bryan. In the average or commoner class, Mr. Bryan put farmers, mechanics and other city toilers, merchants except a few merchant princes, lawyers, physicians, some newspaper men, notably Josephus Daniels, teachers and preachers, save perhaps a few occupying high-priced pulpits in the great cities.

Much enthusiasm was aroused when Mr. Bryan said that farmers have enough to keep them out of the poorhouse and never have enough to entice brokendown noblemen to come over and disgrace their families by marrying into them.

Speaking of the Oklahoma constitution, which had been ridiculed as having been drawn by cornfield lawyers, Mr. Bryan declared it was better than any other State constitution and better than the Federal constitution. After the speaking Mr. Bryan was entertained at a luncheon on the Fair grounds by the officials and marshals of the State Fair.

The State Fair Association met tonight in annual session and elected officers for the year 1908 as follows: President, J. H. Currie, of Fayetteville; Secretary, Joseph E. Pogue, of Raleigh; Treasurer, Claude B. Denson of Raleigh. When the election of officers came up the present president, E. L. Daughtridge, of Rocky Mount, who has served as president of the Association for two years, was re-elected by acclamation, but declined to serve a third term. Secretary Pogue enters upon his eighth year as secretary of the State Fair, and Treasurer Denson is elected for the sixth time. He succeeded his father as treasurer in 1902.

President Currie is one of the most prominent farmers of the State, and a leading citizen of Cumberland county. He has been for several years one of the vice presidents of the Association. W. R. Capehart, of Edenton, was elected a vice president from the Second Congressional district, to succeed his father, Dr. W. R. Capehart, deceased, and Edward Smith, of Dunn, was chosen to succeed Mr. Currie as vice president from the Sixth district.

On motion of Mr. Tayloe, of Washington, $300 was appropriated to aid the chief marshal in the expenses of the office for the year 1908. The usual resolutions of thanks to the retiring president and to the secretary and treasurer were adopted. All the elections were unanimous. The social event of the fair tonight is a subscription dance in honor of visiting young ladies at the Raney Library Hall.

Fayetteville Horses Won.

Local horsemen will be interested to learn from yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer that of the two races at the State Fair Wednesday a Cumberland horse won first place and in another third place. Again in the ring a Fayetteville horse took first honor. In the 2:35 trotting class Juanita, owned by Dr. Seavey Highsmith won first premium in a purse of $200; time 2:39 in the last heat. In the 2:30 class, packing, Silver Socks, owned by Mortimer Martin, of Fayetteville, took the third place in a purse of $250 and Hazlet's Dillon won the prize in the show ring.

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THIRTY-FOOT CHANNEL PROJECT.

Just as we expected, the State will take a lively and deep interest in the movement to secure a 30-foot channel for the port of Wilmington. The Charlotte Chronicle was one of the first papers in North Carolina to endorse the project when it was sprung several months ago, and it is gratifying to note its continued adherance to the scheme in connection with the crusade to be waged in that behalf by Mr. Fox, director of the Rivers and Harbors Congress. The Chronicle in an editorial says:

"Mr. John A. Fox, travelling director of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, is in Wilmington getting data for the proposed 30-foot channel from that port to the sea, and will later endeavor to interest the people in all parts of North Carolina in that project. It is proposed to hold a convention of the leading business men of the State in Wilmington, early in November, at which the movement for this important project will be inaugurated. It is a matter that should enlist the attention of the people of the entire State, as it vitally concerns the interests of merchant, farmer and manufacturer alike. The entire State should take a hand in making Wilmington the greatest port on the coast, and this could be done easily, by contributing in a measure to the natural advantages of the port. We hope every town in the State will be represented at the convention."

Mr. Fox is now on his intinerary through the State, working up interest in the meeting to be held in Wilmington in November to endorse the 30-foot channel project and to organize a State branch of the Rivers and Harbors Congress as the best means of emphasizing the needs of North Carolina in having a harbor that will give the State such a port as will ensure the entrance of larger ships and entitle the port, and interior points to the minimum rates of transportation.

We must put it up to Congress to do its part by a port with the possibilities of Wilmington. The commerce of the port already and the opportunity for a big increase should impress Congress with the importance of deeper water for our port.

Mr. Fox is a good man to wage a campaign for the development of the waterways and harbors of the country. He is enthusiastic over the subject, is a resourceful gentleman, and possesses the ability to present the matter in a strong light. Speaking a few days ago of the importance of developing water transportation and increasing the commerce of the country, he spoke of the necessity for State aid as well as National appropriations for the work. He stated that during his recent trip to the Pacific coast he found that the State of Oregon had supplemented the National appropriation by $300,000 to improve one of its important rivers into the interior.

Our own Congress seems to have failed in a proper appreciation of the importance of deeper water for our ports, both for the purpose of commerce and the use of the Navy. Mexico is now pursuing a most liberal policy in providing that country with deep water ports, but it remains for Brazil to set the pace for our bastful country. The national and State governments in Brazil are vieing with each other in river and harbor improvements. Through its central and State governments Brazil is annually spending larger sums for river and harbor improvements than the governments of the United States and of our individual States combined. The astonishing fact is stated that Brazil recently completed a contract with an American firm to develop one of its ports at a cost of $14,000,000. Even the city of Rio Janeiro, with about 800,000 inhabitants, spent more money for public improvements last year than any United States city except New York.

These things are mentioned to show that we must get busy in the development of our harbors and waterways, or get left. The statistics about Brazil's rivers and harbors policy come from the re-publication in book form of "Southern Prosperity in the Balance," a series of articles which appeared in that unexcelled Southern developer, the Manufacturers' Record, and a copy of the booklet should be laid upon the desk of every member of Congress that they can see for themselves that the time is ripe for a most liberal and systematic policy for the improvement of the waterways and harbors of the United States. Brazil should not be allowed to outstrip

BUSINESS IN THE SOUTH AHEAD OF RAILROADS.

The Star a few days ago published the discouraging financial statement of the Southern Railway, owing to the increased cost of material, of operating expenses, and the large sums that have to be spent in equipments and double-tracking in order to keep up with the wonderful commercial development of the South.

While the annual report of the Southern makes an unfavorable financial showing, it states as evidence of rapid industrial expansion in the South and increasing traffic that 860 new industrial enterprises were established along the lines of the company during the year, while many older plants were enlarged. Improvements in facilities and in the service are cited, but it is said that the crying need of all the railroads of the South is "more track, more equipment, more terminal facilities," and that congestion on the lines while exasperating the public "rolls up the expense of operation and both shipper and carrier suffer."

The New York Journal of Commerce, in a review of the Southern's financial showing, says:

"Under these conditions of increased cost for everything entering into construction and operation, and of pressing requirements for more and better facilities, it is not to be wondered at that Southern railroads groan at increased taxes and misguided attempts to cut down rates for traffic without careful consideration of what the consequences will be."

When we come to think of it, the fact dawns upon us that business in the South has increased faster than the equipment of the railroads necessary to meet the increasing demands upon them

SILVER TUMBLES.

On the New York market on Tuesday, silver metal declined to the lowest point since 1905, since when there has been an increase in the price. From Saturday till Tuesday silver broke 2 cents an ounce, bringing the New York price down to 60 3-8 cents per ounce. This is a decline of 7 1-2 cents since October 1st, and almost 10 cents below the price at the opening of the present year.

Silver touched its lowest price in January, 1903, when it got down as low as 21 11-16. And its high record was in March, 1859, when it was 62 1-16.

It might be mentioned that the cause for the decline in the price of silver is the poor crops in India, where silver money is largely in use and also in the let up in the demand from China for silver.

WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION.

The Woman's Home Companion for October is a most interesting and charming number. It is handsomely printed and artistically illustrated, and the contents are notable for the variety and usefulness of the matter. The literary features are admirable, and the fashion and home art and science features will please the thousands of readers, of this widely popular magazine. It is sent a year $1 and sells at 10 cents per copy. Addres the Crowell Publishing Co., Madison Square, New York.

CURRENT COMMENT

—Some of you fellows may not favor government ownership, but chances are that you will have to stand for it sooner or later or get out of the party. —Durham Herald.

—Governor Glenn again shows his wisdom by saying Charlotte would be a good place for the next meeting place of the Democratic State Convention.—Charlotte News.

—They have been about cured of calling him "Bob Glenn," at least, we have not seen it in print for some time but now "Bill Kitchin" has come to the front. Bah! Stop it!—Charlotte Chronicle.

—Wilmington is now endeavoring to organize a fair association. Of course that town needs a fair, and a big one too. People in this neck of the woods would rather go there than to Raleigh.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—No wonder the people go wild when Bryan shows his face. He is not only an orator, but thoroughly original. The tariff has been talked and talked until it looks like it might be a corpse, but Mr. Bryan at Charlotte last night put new life into it simply by his original way of expressing it. He said: "If you are ever to have a tariff reform, you must have it by those who believe in tariff reform and not by those who propose to practice it as a political necessity. A child will get so old that it will be ashamed to nurse, a calf will get so big that it forsakes its mother, but no beneficiary of a protected industry will let loose the public teat until dragged away by main force." The truth is the more Bryan is abused the bigger he gets. He is the only man on earth who ever talked all the time and lives, politically. It is a pity he cannot supply that missing link that causes him at times to get off on the wrong track—like government ownership, for instance.—Greensboro Record.

TWINKLINGS.

—Senator A.—And do most of your constituents think as you do on this question? Senator X.—Well, most of them think as they think I do.—Somerville Journal.

—Little Miss Smarty—"I think it's funny the baldheaded men always sit in the front rows at the theatres." Mr. Bore—"Why?" Little Miss Smarty—"So the ladies can see how much hair they have to buy."—Chicago Daily News.

—Miss Caustique—"You evidently have a pleasant disposition, Mr. Sapleigh. At least you seem to be easily pleased." Sapleigh—"Why do you—aw—think I am—aw—easily pleased?" Miss Caustique—"By the way in which you laugh at some of your own remarks."—Chicago Daily News.

—Edwin, aged three, who fondled his small cat overmuch and unwisely, appeared before his mother one day, his little face guiltily pained and a scratch upon his hand. "What happened?" she asked. "I bent the kitty a little," he said, briefly.—Youth's Companion.

—"If I should ever decide to marry," he remarked. "I will go to the finest girl I know and ask her hand. Should she refuse me I will go to the next finest—" "Ah, I understand," she interrupted. "You will keep on asking until you meet your level."—Town Topics.

—"I hear that you called me a land shark," said the real estate dealer, hotly. "Yes," said the customer, "and I desire to apologize for it. The lots you sold me are under water at high tide. You're really a marine shark." However, even this concession did not seem to restore the entente cordiale.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

—Laurinburg Exchange: Our little city was saddened Thursday evening with the announcement of the death of Mr. James McDougald, which occurred at his home, on Church street, about 6 o'clock. Mr. McDougald suffered a stroke of paralysis several weeks ago, and although but little hope was entertained for his recovery, his death came as a severe shock to his family of motherless children, and to the entire community. Mr. McDougald was a native-born Scotchman, was a moulder and pattern maker by profession and served as such in the railroad shops here for a number of years. He recently visited his old home in Scotland, spending about two years among the scenes of his boyhood. He was 71 years of age, a quiet, unassuming man and a splendid citizen. He is survived by four daughters—Mrs. J. O. Bundy, of Hamlet; Miss Mary McDougald, a member of the faculty of Elizabeth College, Charlotte; Misses Bettie, Jeannette and Maggie, of this place; two sons, Neill, of Savannah, Ga., and David, a member of the crew of the United States ship Minnesota.

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TO THE BEACH
Suburban Schedule

(In Effect Sunday, Oct. 13th, 1907.)
Daily Except Sunday.

Wilmington Eastbound	LEAVE Wrightsville Westbound	Beach Westbound
7:00 A M	6:25 A M	
7:30 A M	7:55 A M	7:45 A M
8:30 A M	8:25 A M	8:15 A M
10:00 A M	9:25 A M	9:15 A M
11:30 A M	10:55 A M	10:45 A M
1:00 P M	12:25 P M	12:15 P.M
2:30 P M	1:55 P M	1:45 P M
3:00 P M	3:25 P M	3:15 P M
4:00 P M	4:25 P M	4:15 P M
5:30 P M	5:25 P M	5:15 P M
6:15 P M	6:25 P M	6:15 P M
7:00 P M	7:25 P M	7:15 P M
8:00 P M	7:55 P M	7:45 P M
9:30 P M	8:55 P M	8:45P M
11:00 P M	10:25 P M	10:15 P M
	11:25 P M	

Freight Schedule

Leave Wilmington 4:00 P. M. (daily except Sunday).

Freight received at Ninth and Orange from 3 to 4 P. M.

CAROLINA PLACE SCHEDULE

Cars will be operated between Front and Princess and Seventeenth and Market every 20 minutes. Leaving Front and Princess at 6:50 A. M. until 9:50 P. M.

Leaving Seventeenth and Market from 7 A. M. until 10 P. M.. All Suburban cars will make regular stops at Delgado.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Wilmington Eastbound	LEAVE Wrightsville Westbound	Beach Westbound
10:00 A M	9:55 A M	9:45 A M
11:30 A M	10:55 A M	10:45 A M
1:00 P M	12:25 P M	12:15 P M
2:30 P M	1:55 P M	1:45 P M
3:00 P M	3:25 P M	3:15 P M
4:00 P M	4:25 P M	4:15 P M
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9:30 P M	8:55 P M	8:45 P M
11:00 P M	10:25 P M	10:15 P M
	11:25 P M	

Carolina Place Schedule.
(Sundays)

Leave Front and Princess streets every 20 minutes from 8:30 A. M. to 9:50 P. M.

Leave 17th and Market streets every 20 minutes from 8:40 A. M. to 10 P. M.

Schedule Steamer Atlantic

Effective September 1st.

Until further notice, Steamer Atlantic will leave Southport daily at 7:30 o'clock A. M. Leave Wilmington daily, except Sunday, at 2-30 o'clock P. M.

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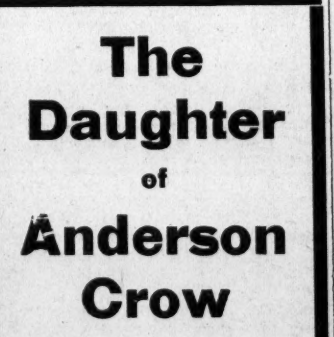

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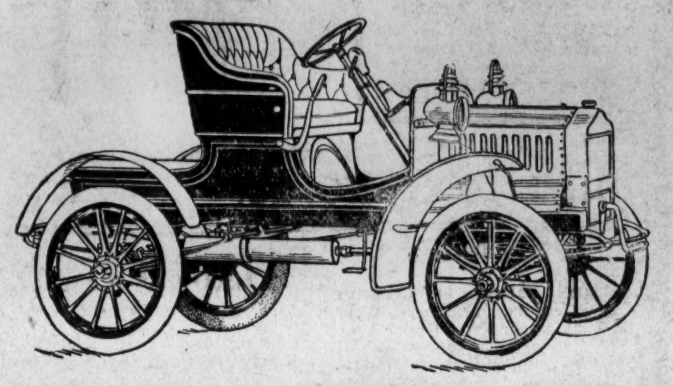

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North Carolina, New Hanover County. The undersigned H. T. Fergus and E. Hollis of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, enters and lay claim to the following described piece or parcel of land: In Masonboro Township, New Hanover county, State of North Carolina, the same being vacant and unappropriated land subject to entry, viz: Bounded on the north by Swimming Hole slew; on the east and south by Rock Hale slue; on the west by the channel of Myrtle Grove Sound and known as Skip Jack Shoal, containing two acres more or less.

E. HOLLIS,
By D. J. FERGUS,
H. T. FERGUS.

October 1st, 1907.

Entered and filed this first day of October, 1907, at 2:20 P. M. by Henry Horne, Deputy Register of Deeds and Deputy Acting Entry Taker for New Hanover County.
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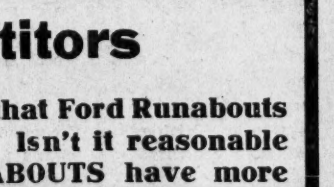

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Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. for advice. She is the Mrs. Pinkham who has been advising sick women free of charge for more than twenty years, and before that she assisted her mother-in-law Lydia E. Pinkham in advising. Thus she is well qualified to guide sick women back to health. Her advice is free and always helpful.

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VALUABLE OIL FROM PEANUTS

Profitable Industry at Bordeaux, France—It Might Be Made More So in North Carolina—Various Uses for Peanut Oil.

(Charlotte Chronicle.)

In its cotton seed and peanuts the South has the source of the finest and purest oils in the world. Cotton seed oil has bounded into a just popularity, but not so much is known about peanut oil. Attracted by the statement that the annual value of the peanut crop in Virginia, South Carolina and Tennessee (why North Carolina was omitted we do not know) is between $8,000,000 and $10,000,000, Consul Murphy, at Bordeaux, gives some information on the French peanut oil industry in the hope of stimulating that line of manufacture in North Carolina. It appears from his report that arachide or peanut oil, when well clarified and fresh, is preferred to the best olive oil for table use by many people in that part of France. In Bordeaux the sales of arachide exceed that of all other oils—in fact, they are almost as large as the sales of all others combined. Over 50,000 tons of peanuts are brought to that port every year from the French possessions in Africa, the average annual value of the peanut (or arachide) oil manufactured in that city being over $2,000,000.

Not only is arachide a most excellent table oil, palatable, nutritious, and healthful, and very much cheaper than olive oil, but it is employed almost exclusively in the manufacture of a high-class compound lard. For cooking sardines before packing in olive oil, it is unsurpassed. The best quality of arachide oil is selling wholesale at about 80 or 82 cents per gallon at this time and lower grades at from 55 to 60 cents.

The process of manufacturing the oil is simple, the nuts being pressed in the same manner as olive oil, i. e., by filtering through layers of carded cotton, the quality depending largely upon number of filterings and the degree of clarification attained. The residuum is pressed into cakes, making an excellent and nutritious food for cattle. This cake is selling at from 15 to 18 francs per 100 kilos, or from $2.90 to $5.47 for every 330 pounds.

There is not a particle of waste in the manufacture. The shells are finely ground, mixed with common molasses, pressed into cake, and used as cattle food, not so good, it is true, as the cake made from the residuum of the nuts, but still nutritious, and selling for about one-third its price. To make a fuel, which burns well and gives great heat, the powdered sehlls are mixed with coal dust and pressed into blocks.

Shaved the Statue.

Near the entrance of beautiful Oak Hill cemetery, Georgetown, where reposes the dust of James G. Blaine, Edwin M. Stanton and other great Americans, stands a fine statue of John Howard Payne, author of "Home, Sweet Home." The bringing home of the remains of this famous American who died at his post in Africa generations ago when he was serving there as United States consul was the occasion of a great national function many years ago.

The late William Corcoran, the Washington banker and philanthropist, defrayed all of the expenses and also paid for the monument and statue of Payne which mark his resting place in Oak Hill. The sculptor who executed the life size statue had palmed off on him as a picture of John Howard Payne the photograph of a man whose face was completely covered with a luxuriant growth of whiskers. Accordingly he faithfully reproduced the whiskers in marble. Soon after the statue was set up in Oak Hill it was discovered that John Howard Payne had never worn a beard.

The sculptor, enraged and undaunted, proceeded forthwith to chisel the whiskers off the marble image of the immortal author of "Home, Sweet Home," so that today the visitor to Georgetown's historic old cemetery beholds the classic face in marble of John Howard Payne sans whiskers except for a mustache.—Washington Herald.

The Limit.

Berry—Is Forde optimistic? Wynne—I should say so. I have known him to go into a restaurant with a penny in his pocket, order a dozen oysters and feel sure that he would be able to pay for his bill with a pearl.

The Decree.

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STATEMENT

Report of the Condition of the SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK, at the Close of Business, August 22nd, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 920,609 87
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		161 41
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		200,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		9,269 88
Furniture and fixtures		6,530 49
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		160,729 21
Due from State Banks and Bankers		162,034 27
Due from approved reserve agents		63,832 03
Checks and other cash items		10,071 47
Exchanges for clearing house		6,404 11
Notes of other National Banks		12,640 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		28 25
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$15,494 96	
Legal tender notes	9,400 00	24,894 96
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent. redemption fund		7,550 00
Total		$1,624,782 95

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 200,000 00
Surplus fund	100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	23,810 91
National Bank notes outstanding	200,000 00
Due to other National Banks	179,093 68
Due to State Banks and Bankers	284 989 43
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	14,555 63
Due to approved reserve agents	71,539 45
Individual deposits subject to check	355,608 43
Cashier's checks outstanding	185 42
United States deposits	50,000 00
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	145,000 00
Total	$1,624,782 95

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover.

I, C. N. Evans, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. N. EVANS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of August, 1907.

C. E. TAYLOR, Notary Public.

Correct Attest:

MATT. J. HEYER,
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The Morning Star.

Friday, October 18, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 18, 1907.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Thursday, October 17:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 49 degrees; 8 P. M., 62 degrees; maximum, 72 degrees; minimum, 47 degrees; mean, 59 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, .20 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Wednesday, 1.4 feet.

Forecasts.

For North Carolina—Fair Friday and Saturday, colder Saturday; light, variable winds, becoming west.

Port Calendar—Oct. 18.

Sun Rises .. ..6:09 A. M.
Sun Sets .. ..5:21 P. M.
Day's length .. .. ..11 hrs. 23 min.
High water at Southport 5:27 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 7:57 A. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. E. R. Young, of Wilson, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Dr. N. A. Thompson, of Lumberton, was in the city yesterday.

—Mr. J. S. Johnson, of Garland, N. C., was in the city yesterday.

—Mr. F. B. Hall, of Hamlet, was in the city yesterday and was a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. W. C. Vick, of Council's, was in the city yesterday and was a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. B. B. Anderson, of Fair Bluff, was among the out-of-town visitors in the city yesterday.

—Mr. J. C. Jones, of Rocky Point, was in the city yesterday for the Buffalo Bill exhibition.

—Mr. W. T. Phifer, of Clarkton, spent yesterday in the city, and was registered at The Orton.

—Charlotte Observer: "Miss Mary F. Meares, of Wilmington, is the guest of Mrs. Joseph Russell Ross."

—Mr Moore Thompson, of Abbottsburg, N. C., was in the city yesterday and was a guest at The Orton.

—Messrs. T. L. Northrop and W. D. Johnson, of St. Paul's, Robeson county, were in the city yesterday.

—Mr. W. L. Gatling and wife, of Whiteville, were in the city yesterday and were registered at The Orton.

—Messrs. F. T. Croom, E. C. Blake and R. Harrell, of Burgaw, were in the city yesterday to "take in" the Buffalo Bill Wild West exhibition.

—Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Mrs. Hattie Fennell, of Wilmington, chairman of the Publication Committee of the Christian Science Church, is in the city."

—Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Mrs. Pembroke Jones spent a few hours in the city Tuesday with her father, Col. W. J. Green."

—The Raleigh Evenings Times: "Mr. Chas. Belvin, a former Raleighite, but now of Wilmington, arrived here last night to join his family, who are visiting relatives in this city."

—Mr. O. L. Clark, O. L. Clark, Jr., Miss Anna Neal Clark, Miss Mabel Clark, of Clarkton, and Newton Roberson, of Elizabethtown, were here yesterday for the Buffalo Bill Wild West exhibition.

—Many friends in this city will regret exceedingly to know that Mrs. Eliza M. Bellamy is very critically ill. Her condition yesterday was such as to give great concern to members of the family, all of whom were in the city to be with her.

—Fayetteville Observer, 17th: "Mr. T. M. Emerson, president of the A. C. L., and Mrs. Emerson, spent the day in the city with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Slocomb, and returned this afternoon, accompanied by Mrs. N. D. Emerson and little daughter."

—Among yesterday's arrivals in the city were Messrs. Floyd Johnson, of Cerro Gordo; Hill Humphrey, of Jacksonville, N. C.; H. L. Stevens, Esq., of Warsaw; W. E. McDaniel, of Whiteville; D. M. Harrelson, of Tabor, and Dr. S. A. Smith, of Bolton.

—Captain Earl I. Brown, in charge of the United States Corps of Engineers in this district, left yesterday for Grifton, Pitt county, where he is to give the parties interested a hearing on the question of a contemplated bridge over Contentnea Creek.

Handsome Fountain Sold.

Wilmington's former esteemed townsman Mr. T. R. Southern has sold to the J. Hicks Bunting Drug Company, of this city, one of the handsomest soda fountains in the State. It is made by the A. H. and T. H. Lippincott Company, of Philadelphia, and is 25 feet in length. It is understood that the Hicks Bunting Drug Company will put in $10,000 worth of fixtures and fountain apparatus in their new store, which will be on the corner now occupied by I. M. Bear & Co.

County Board of Education.

At the meeting of the County Board of Education Wednesday night the usual routine business was transacted and committees of citizens favoring and objecting to the further use of the school house on the Castle Haynes road as a Sunday School room were heard, the Board reserving its decision in the matter until later. In view of its increasing numbers, it was decided to allow an assistant at the Wrightsville Sound School, taught by Miss Fannie B. Wood, the assistant to be engaged as soon as possible.

Tinner Fell From Roof.

While working on a house near Second and Church streets yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock, Laurence Rowan, a tinner, fell from the roof and was severely but not seriously injured. He was sent to the hospital and later to his home in the city.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Cotton receipts yesterday were only 2,595 bales, against 3,784 same day last year. The market remains steady at 11 3-16 for middling.

—Captain C. F. Stevenson, master of the British steamer Glanton, which has just arrived, has reported to the police station the desertion of three of his crew, two of whom are firemen.

—Mr. C. F. VonKampen was yesterday issued a building permit for the erection of two six-room dwellings to cost $1,700 each, on Castle between Fourth and Fifth streets. Mr. W. J. Spooner is the contractor.

—Friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Larson, of Greenville Sound, will sympathize with them in the death of their little daughter, Elsie Louise, aged two years, which occurred yesterday morning at 6:30 o'clock. The funeral will be conducted at 11 o'clock this morning from Masonboro Church.

—The river steamer A. J. Johnson, Capt. Jeff Bradshaw, managed to get off the bottom up near Fayetteville Wednesday and arrived in port yesterday with a cargo of 50 bales of cotton and a quantity of naval stores. She expected to clear for the return last night, going as far as Lyon's Landing.

—The Buffalo Bill shows here yesterday fared well as to the payment of taxes. The tent was pitched just outside the city limits, and there being no street parade, no tax was collectible by the city. To the State and county a tax of $104 was paid, the shows being classed neither as a menagerie nor as a circus.

INSPECTED EQUIPMENT

Major Frank Green, U. S. A., Returned From a Trip to Fort Caswell.

Major Frank Greene, United States Army, who is chief signal officer of the Department of the Gulf with headquarters in Atlanta, was in the city yesterday returning from Fort Caswell where he made an inspection of the signal equipment and other fortifications under his supervision at Fort Caswell. Major Greene was on his regular semi-annual visit to all the posts in his district and came here from Fort Moultrie, near Charleston, and Savannah, Ga. While at Caswell he made a careful inspection of all the electrical appliances and all other signal apparatus at the big army post, which is now one of the finest on the South Atlantic coast. The inspection also included the fire protection at the various batteries.

Major Greene entered the army as a private in 1876 and was soon commissioned a second lieutenant. When the Spanish war broke out he was at captain and at the cessation of hostilities with the Kingdom he was advanced to the rank of Major, he being now the ranking officer of that grade in the army. He is a close friend of Commander Hugh Rodman, of this Lighthouse district, and served together in the Philippines.

Discontinuing Trains.

The following special from Hamlet to yesterday's Charlotte Observer will be read with interest locally: "Nos. 32 and 33, the Seaboard's fast passenger trans between here and Portsmouth, were discontinued Sunday night. The reason assigned for this is that because of the reduction of passenger fare it is necessary to curtail expenses. It is whispered that at an early date other trains will be cut off. It is to be regretted that the company found it necessary to take these trains off, as it was a convenient schedule to get to and from the Virginia city. It is believed that nine-tenths of the people through this section are opposed to the war being waged against the railroad companies and when an opportunity is given them to vote that they will cast their votes against the men who are so vigorously prosecuting the railroads."

Rev. L. W. Curtis Elected.

His many friends in Wilmington Presbytery will read with interest the following special from Hamlet to yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "At the meeting of the Fayetteville Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church, held at Antioch church, near Red Springs, last week, Rev. L. W Curtis, pastor of the Presbyterian church here, was elected evangelist for the Presbytery. Mr. Curtis has not returned home and it is not known whether he will accept the place or not. He has been pastor here for more than a year and has made many friends, who would regret to see him leave. If he accepts it is the desire of his friends that he remain a resident of Hamlet, and it is hoped that he will do so."

Dr. D. Clay Lilly to Speak.

The first meeting of the Brotherhood of the First Presbyterian Church for the Fall and Winter season will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in Abbie Chadbourn Memorial Hall and a full attendance is desired. The Brotherhood will have the exceeding good fortune of hearing at its first meeting the gifted Dr. D. Clay Lilly, of Winston-Salem, N. C., pastor of the First Presbyterian church there, who is now travelling the State in a special interest under the direction of the church.

Fayetteville to Have Show.

Buffalo Bill will not be the only big show attraction to visit this section during the present Winter. The Coast Line is now handling the Carl Hagenbeck and Great Wallace Circus in Florida and Georgia and this attraction is booked for Fayetteville and other towns in this section during November. The date for Fayetteville is November 6th. John H. Sparks shows are also being handled in this territory by the Coast Line and will exhibit at Clinton next Thursday.

Baseball League Meeting.

There will be a meeting of all team members and all others interested in the City Baseball League in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. tonight. The affairs of the league during the past season will be closed up and arrangements made for launching the pennant race of 1908. The "rag" for this season will be presented to the Y. M. C. A. team.

FIRE AT CHADBOURN

Agent Land's Residence Burned by an Incendiary Last Saturday.

Four negroes have been arrested and placed in jail at Whiteville on a charge of setting fire to and burning down the residence of Mr. J. H. Land, agent of the Atlantic Coast Line at Chadbourn, N. C., last Saturday night. The family of Mr. Land, consisting of his wife and three children, with the colored nurse, had a narrow escape from the burning building as the windows were cracking when they awoke and everything that they owned was burned up including a large number of handsome wedding presents highly valued by Mrs. Land. Mr. and Mrs. Land and children were in the city Wednesday on their way to Warsaw, the former home of Mrs. Land, where she and the children will remain until other arrangements are made.

During the burning of the fire the odor of kerosene was detected leaving but little doubt that the fire was the work of an incendiary. Bloodhounds belonging to Mr. Edmond's, of Columbus, were sent for and they tracked the four negroes to their home, their tracks later being found to correspond exactly with those seen around the burned dwelling. It is stated furthermore that the negroes had threatened Mr. Land because their wages from the Atlantic Coast Line had been garnisheed through him. They will be arraigned at the next term of Columbus Superior Court, charged with arson.

GREAT DAY AT RALEIGH.

Wilmington Well Represented at Masonic Temple Ceremonies.

Capt. James I. Metts, Capt. R. W. Price, Capt. W. P. Oldham, Junior Grand Warden W. B. McKoy, Mr. Alex S Holden, Mr. J. M. Taylor, Mr. N. M. McEachern, Mr. W. P. McLaughon, and other prominent members of the fraternity in Wilmington are returning from Raleigh, where on Wednesday they attended the imposing ceremonies which marked the laying of the corner-stone of the new Grand Lodge Masonic Temple in that city

Mr. Holden says that the exercises were a grand success in every particular. In the procession there were 70 uniformed Knights Templar and between 700 and 800 Master Masons. A fine band and a large chorus added greatly to the success of the ceremonies.

Mr. Holden says that when he left Raleigh special trains were carrying thousands of people to hear Bryan at the State Fair there yesterday. As stated in the Raleigh telegram to the Star this morning, the crowd was estimated at 40,000. Many of the Wilmington Masons who attended the corner-stone laying remained over for the remainder of Fair week.

YORKTOWN DAY

Mr. Jas. S. Hooper Leaves as Representative of The State.

Mr. Jas. S. Hooper, of this city, left last night for the Jamestown Exposition where he goes to attend the Yorktown Day Celebration ceremonies tomorrow. Under the auspices of the officials of the Exposition there will be meetings of both the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Association and the Descendants of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence. The orators are U. S. Senator P. C. Knox, of Pennsylvania, and U. S. Senator J. W. Daniel, of Virginia. A permanent organization of the descendants of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence will be effected, Mr. Hooper, of this city, having been elected on the committee of thirteen to draw up a constitution and By-Laws. Mr. Hooper has been commissioned by the Governor of North Carolina as vice president from this State to represent North Carolina and he will be present in that capacity.

Major Kirkland, of Washington, is here in the interest of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Association which meets at the same time and he also will doubtless attend.

His Sister Passed Away.

The East Carolina News, of Kenansville, says this week: "News of the death of Miss Jessie Armstrong at Culpepper, Virginia, was conveyed by a telegram here early Monday morning. She was a sister to the late Mrs. D. S. Kennedy and to Mr. Jno. S. Armstrong, the President of the Carolina Savings and Trust Company, and the Atlantic National Bank of Wilmington. Four sisters also survive her, all of whom now reside in Virginia. Miss Armstrong has visited in Duplin and has a number of North Carolina friends who will be very sorry to hear of her death."

Cut Afternoon Performance.

The thousands who witnessed the Buffalo Bill shows in this city yesterday will be interested to know that the afternon performance in Florence Wednesday had to be eliminated. The trestle over Black river near Kingstree, was burned the night before and the show trains were brought from Charleston around by Lanes and Sumter so that the big aggregation did not reach Florence until noon instead of 7 A. M., as scheduled. The shows upon arrival at Florence were pitched just back of the railroad shops in order to save time and only the night exhibition was given.

—Senator A.—And do most of your constituents think as you do on this question? Senator X.—Well, most of them think as they think I do.—Somerville Journal.

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This week we will have for special offering:

Children's Trimmed Hats, all colors, trimmed with ribbon or silk bows, ponpon tips or wings, $1.75 to $3.98.

Child's Rolling Brim Sailors with ribbon bands and streamers, all colors 50c. to $1.50.

Misses' School Hats, with scarf, all colors, 98c to $2.50.

Ladies' Trimmed Sailors in silk and velvet, broad bows, all colors at $2.50.

Ladies' ready-to-wear Hats, all colors and shapes, all the novelties, 50c up to $2.98.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, the vacation shapes, trimmed, silk, velvet and roses, all the new shades, at $5.98.

Large Trimmed Hats, drooping effect, very stylish, long plumes or fluffy feather trimming, at $9.50.

Medium shapes, droop effect, made of silk and velvet, trimmed with morning glories and ornaments, the newest styles, at $8.98.

CLOAKS AND FURS.

Children's Red Box Coats, 3 to 6 years at $2.50.

Children's Bearskin Coats, red, gray, navy, brown and white sizes, 2 to 6 years, $3.50 to $5.00.

Misses' School Coats of mixed Kersey, sizes 8 to 14 years, $2.50 to $5.98.

Furs and Neck Pieces, $1.25 to $45.00.

Muff to match Neck Pieces, $2.50 to $25.00.

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Boy's Suit with TWO PAIR OF PANTS; this is what every boy wants to be dressed right, one pair of Knickerbockers and one straight pair for the small sum of $4.00.

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Every Suit is displayed on our new display racks, which makes it easy to inspect our line.

Men's Pants.—Have just received a consignment of Sweet Orr & Co.'s Union-Made and Schloss-Make Trousers; a complete assortment of patterns, ranging up to $7.50 a pair.

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RACE MEET THIS AFTERNOON

Trotting and Pacing Events at Old Fair Grounds Track.

Much interest attaches to the racing matinee at the Old Fair Grounds track this afternoon under the auspices of the Wilmington Driving Association. There are a larger number of entries than before, among the number being several harness horses and at least one new entry in the running race. The public is cordially invited. The programme is as follows:

2:50 Trotting—Bessie C., driven by Williams; Jim, driven by Jones; Miss P., driven by Poole; Miss Wilkes, driven by MacMillan; Fay, driven by McEachern.

2:40 Trotting and Pacing—Queen, driven by Caldwell; Sir Hanna, driven by Wrede; Wilton Bay, driven by Poole; DeCastle, driven by Bretterwitz.

2:30 Trotting—Jack of Diamonds, driven by Mills; Barney, driven by Arringdale; Traveller, driven by McEachern; Number 13, driven by Poole.

In the running races the entries are Sorrel Bobby, owned by Solomon; Daisy, owned by Boushee; Lady B., owned by Williams.

HARRIMAN SICK OF CHARGES.

Says Newspaper Can Settle Railroad Situation.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Until three men who are locked in a room assiduously counting proxies, are able to report to the stockholders of the Illinois Central there will be no election of directors. Twice today the stockholders assembled only to be told that proxy inspectors were not prepared to report. The final adjournment was taken shortly after 3 o'clock in the afternoon and carries the meeting over until 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

While the meeting was waiting for some further word from the committee in order to determine the time to which the adjournment should be taken, Mr. Harriman picked up his chair and carrying it to the end of the press table, sat down with the remark: "I think you gentlemen can do more to settle this railroad situation than anybody else."

When asked for an explanation he said:

"You can do it by refusing to print one side of a proposition until you have seen the man on the other side, and let him have his say at the same time. I am sick, and most other men are sick of the continued attacks made on the railroads. When charges are made against a railroad the proper thing to do is to refrain from publishing them until the party bringing the charge and the representatives of the railroads are present.

"As such things are now run, the charges are printed in the papers and the public receives a wrong impression, because the railroad side of the question is not given at the same time. It is the first impression that counts."

Before it was definitely announced that the proxy committee would not be able to report, the attorneys on both sides were somewhat startled by the suggestion that the transfer books of the company were open. When the stockholders meeting was originally called it was not thought that it would last over one day, and the announcement was made that the books would be open again October 17. After a hasty conference it was decided that there was no way in which the books could be closed today and it was, therefore, decided that they should be allowed to remain open until 3 o'clock in the afternoon when they were again closed until next Tuesday at 11 A. M. It was agreed between the attorneys, that no effort should be made on either side to purchase stock during the day.

The geneal situation remains unchanged, both sides saying they expect to control the meeting and both hunting for proxies or the revocation of proxies previously given.

Mr. Harriman is credited with sufficient confidence in the outcome to have offered a directorship to a prominent banker of this city.

TERRIBLE INDIANA ATROCITIES

Strangle and Burn Helpless Members of Tribe.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Winnepeg, Man., Oct. 17.—That Indian tribes living within a few hundred miles of Winnepeg have reverted to the most brutal savagery, was brought out at the trials of chieftains of the Salteux tribe just ended at the Hudson Bay Company's fort at Norway. Sick and helpless members of the tribe were strangled and burned at the stake for no other reason than to relieve their relatives of caring for them.

Chief Joseph Pesequan was convicted of murder and sentenced to death. Chief Jack, of the Sucker band of the same tribe, strangled himself to death in his cell the night before the date set for his trial. Two brothers named Rae are in pall at Norway house, awaiting trial for several murders.

Eyelids, a brave of the Crane band, cally describing five strangulations and burnings in which he participaited. In one instance the strangulation was not complete and the victim was placed on a platform over a huge fire, where he was slowly roasted to death.

After the execution of Chief Joseph, Eyelids will be sent back to the north to tell his tribesmen what happens to stranglers.

OBSCENE POST CARDS.

Four Thousand Seized in Philadelphia Yesterday.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Philadelphia, Oct. 17.—Headed by Anthony Comstock, of New York, the United States Postal Inspectors in conjunction with the local police have started a crusade in this city against postcard dealers who have been circulating obscene and objectionable postcards. Several arrests were made tonight and warrants have been issued for a number of other offenders. In one place the authorities seized 4,000 cards, which were circulated or displayed either in violation of the postal regulations or State laws.

Read The Star Business Locals.

TAFT PLEASED FILIPINOS.

American Papers in Manila Say He Says Nothing.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Manila, Oct. 17.—Secretary Taft was entertained at luncheon today by Major General Leonard Wood, commander of the military division of the Philippines. In the afternoon he attended a reception at the Jesuit College, and this evening he was present at a reception given in his honor by the officers of the army and navy.

Mr. Taft is not inclinded to discuss Philippine issues until after the official banquet, which is to be given him on Monday next, when he will outline the future policy of the government towards the islands. The general impression caused among the Filipinos by the Secretary's speech at the opening of the Assembly yesterday is excellent, but the American papers here call for a prompt announcement of the government's policy towards the islands, declare that Mr. Taft evaded any positive statements on the subject, and allege that his speech was a rehash of the addresses which he made here two years ago and has since delivered in the United States.

Secretary Taft during the day made a tour of Manila in an automobile, and carefully inspected the improvements made since his last visit to the islands. He declared that the progress of the past two years was very great and the result of the recent elections was just what he expected. He expressd confidence that the delegates to the assembly would see the advantage of upholding the present system of government, said he is satisfied with the election of Osmena to the presidency of the assembly, of whose ability he spoke highly, and added that he thought the Assemlby had made an auspicious beginning, which presaged good work in the future.

A joint session of the Philippine Commission and the Assembly took place this afternoon for the purpose of hearing the message of Governor General Smith, on the state of the islands. He reviewed the history of the Philippines and pointed out what had been accomplished by the Americans in comparison with the Spaniards, showing that the American rule had meant improvement, the reduction of taxation and a better distribution among the rich and poor alike of the expenses of government, which were less than in any other country in the world, having a similar population. He advised expending on schools the money which hitherto had been used in the suppression of disorders in various parts of the island.

The Governor criticised the Filipino municipal officials for their indifference, neglect and extravagance, and advised the adoption of laws providing for a better administration of municipal affairs.

STANDARD OIL SUIT

William G. Rockefeller to Go on Stand as Witness.

(By Wire to the Morning Star).

New York, Oct. 17.—William G. Rockefeller, assistant treasurer of the Standard Oil Company, of New Jersey, will be the last witness called in the hearing of the Federal suit against the oil combine, whose session will be adjourned tomorrow afternoon for a period of four weeks. Mr. Rockefeller today telegraphed Moritz Rosenthal, one of the counsel for the defendants, that he would be in the city tomorrow and would be prepared to take the witness stand. Mr. Kellogg, the government's attorney, is particularly anxious to know about the $32,000,000 loans made by the Standard Oil Company of New Yorfl to "interest other than Standard" during 1906. Mr. Rockefeller is the cashier of the New York Company and Mr. Kellogg said after the hearing today that he would inquire as to whom the loans were made and what collateral was accepted.

Mr. Kellogg spent most of today's session in endeavoring to learn the identity of the purchasers of the Manhattant Oil Company of Ohio whose plant was bought and then dismantled by the Standard. Several witnesses were called during the day and statements giving costs and freight rates for oil for domestic and foreign shipments were placed in evidence.

BAD WRECK NEAR GREENSBORO

Two Trainmen Killed and Several Passengers Reported Dead.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Greensboro, N. C., Oct. 17.—At 10:30 tonight train No. 34 on the Southern Railway crashed into second freight No. 83 at Rudd, N. C., about eight miles north of Greensboro. The fireman on the freight was killed and the engineer injured. The last report is that six passengers were killed and fifteen injured. This has not been verified. Wrecking trains from Danville and Spencer were sent to the scene of the wreck, and a relief train went from here with physicians on board.

Superintendent Coapman took charge of the direction of affairs from this point.. As near as could be ascertained, train No. 83 was sidetracked at the Rudd switch and the switch to main line was left open, due to the carelessness of the flagman.

TROUBLE ABOUT MARRIAGE

Eloping Couple Seek Advice of Priest In London.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

London, Oct. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Clarkson were in London Monday, October 14, and called during the day at the residence of the famous Father Bernard Vaughn, seeking his advice in their marriage, but on being informed that he was in the country they wrote to him relating the circumstances under which they eloped and requested the priest to legalize their marriage in the eyes of the church. The result is not known.

Martin Maloney, the Philadelphia millionaire, and father of Mrs. Clarkson, was reported under date of October 15 to be in London and about to go to Rome with the object of consulting the Vatican authorities regrading the trouble resulting from his daughter'h elopement.

VESUVIUS CAUSES PANIC

Volcano Behaving Curiously—Threatening Eruption.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Naples, Oct. 17.—A panic was caused today owing to the sudden cessation of smoke from all the craters of Vesuvius accompanied by loud detonations, which usually mean a resumption of activity on the part of the volcano.

SMUGGLING.

It Was Considered a Legitimate Pursuit In Days Gone By.

A book by J. C. Wright entitled "In the Good Old Times" throws some interesting light on the ways of days gone by: "Of every three pounds of tea it was said that two were contraband. In fact, smuggling was considered a perfectly legitimate pursuit. Everybody was ready to profit by it, from the squire, who filled his cellars with cheap wine, and his wife, who adorned herself in cheap silks, to the shopkeeper, who got cheap groceries, or the laborer, who got high wages for work that was secret, unlawful and perilous. Even Adam Smith confessed to a weakness for smuggling and nobody was above bargaining to have a pipe or a hogshead put in his cellar at a low figure. But smuggling on a large scale was not carried on without bribery, perjury, informing, violence and murder."

Of the old time London watchman. "He was wrapped in a wide skirted heavy coat, a useful garment for protecting him from the cold, but not adapted to enable him to cope with the bullies who assaulted the weak and unprotected. He wore low shoes and a big broad brimmed hat, which could be turned up or down, worn forward or backward. The only means of defense which the watchman seems to have possessed was a staff something like a beadle's. In his left hand he carried his lantern."

In those primitive times pins were manufactured by hand and went through several stages of manufacture: Worker No. 1 formed the wire, No. 2 cut it into lengths, No. 3 smoothed it, the fourth man made the head, the fifth stuck it on, the sixth ground the point, the seventh washed and dried it, and it had to go through three more hands after that; hence it used to be a familiar proverb, "It takes ten men to make a pin."

Queer Judicial Decisions.

Some queer judicial decisions in Victoria are mentioned in the Australian Review of Reviews. A man who embezzled some money from a bank has received a sentence of nearly three years' imprisonment, while a man who murdered his mother by stabbing her to the heart received only one year, and another man, who shot his sister and killed her, was sentenced to only two years, and immediately after that a man who wrote a letter to another man threatening to kill him received three years' imprisonment.

Hard Times in Kansas.

The old days of grasshoppers and drought are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today; although a citizen of Codell, Early Shamburg, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me." The safest and most reliable cough and cold cure and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy's drug store 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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FOR SALE—Pea Vine and crab grass hay by the ton or car load, delivered in the city. Owen Martindale, Phone 857 call 1. oct 16 4t

THE GILBERT HOUSE, corner of Front and Princess street, now comfortable for Winter, steam heat, electric lights, hot and cold water, $1.50 to $2.00 per day, rates by the week and table board. A. M. Gilbert. oc 17 ft

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AGENTS WANTED—A few live men in Easter Carolina can get a most desirable contract for the best selling Building & Loan and Insurance proposition of the year. Our insured stock is interesting to everybody. Apply giving references to Southern Mutual Home & Real Estate Co., 209 North Front street. se 8 tf

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A LARGE LOT of ink barrels and kegs for sale cheap. Apply at the Star office. oct 5 tf

DENTISTRY—Dr. Matthews wishes to announce that he has returned to the city. His office will be at the same place, 123 Market street. Dr. Matthews wishes further to announce that he will make a specialty of treating diseases of the mouth and of the administration of anesthetics for all gentle and minor surgical operations. se 29 tf

WANTED—For U. S. Army: able-bodied unmarried men between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. Men wanted now for service in Cuba. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 101 Princess st., Wilmington, N. C. au 15 to de 31

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—A charter has been issued to the Caswell Cotton Mill, with principal office at Kinston. The authorized capital is $200,000, with $75,100 subscribed by J. W. Grainger, J. E. Hood, J. L. Hervey & Son, F. C. Duncan and others.

—Salisbury, Oct. 16.—A company has been organized here to operate an immense tannery. Preliminary arrangements are now being made preparatory to the erection of the plant and it is the intention of those back of the enterprise to have the tannery in operation by January 1st.

—Snow Hill Laconic: The East Carolina Railroad (Bridger's road) from Farmville to Hookerton is completed to within three quarters of a mile of Hookerton. Contractors for the erection of the trestle and bridge at Hookerton are on the grounds to begin work, which they expect to complete between the 1st and 25th of December.

—Lumberton Robesonian: An extra freight carrying only solid cars has been put on the Carolina Central branch of the Seaboard road, between Hamlet and Wilmington. This train leaves Hamlet at seven o'clock in the morning for Wilmington, returning in the afternoon. The heavy amount of freight over this road occasioned this addition.

—Salisbury, Oct. 16.—Rowan County granite is in great demand in many of the big cities. Chicago, Cincinnati and Norfolk are now using Belgian blocks from the Rowan quarries, located five miles from Salisbury. Chicago is now negotiating for 3,000,000 blocks and Cincinnati has been using a million a year for several years. It is not unlikely that several of Salisbury's streets which are used for heavy travel will be laid with these stones.

—Laurinburg Exchange, Oct. 17: Just as we go to press, the sad news of the critical illness of Mr. John Charles McNeill comes to us. Mr. McNeill came to Laurinburg Saturday from Charlotte and went to his home in the country and was stricken suddenly ill yesterday (Tuesday). He rallied Tuesday night and seemed better, but became worse today and at this hour lies unconscious at his home with but little hope of recovery.

—Winston-Salem, N. C., Oct. 16.—Parties arriving here from Madison report that Mr. Bird Rierson, aged about 22 years, sustained injuries in a chair factory there that resulted in his death a few hours later. It appears that a block dropped into a machine, causing it to burst. A piece of iron struck Mr. Rierson in the forehead with great force, knocking him down. He was rendered unconscious and remained in that condition until he died.

—Raleigh Times: As evidence of the substantial growth of Peace Institute the department of music has been compelled to add two instructors, one in piano and one in voice. The institution feels that it is to be especially congratulated in securing the services of Mrs. Horace R. Dowell for the latter position. Mrs. Dowell is known throughout the state as a vocalist of surpassing excellence. She brings to the work a ripe experience as teacher also. Every room at Peace has been full from the beginning.

—Laurinburg Exchange: Joana Roper, wife of Richard Roper, colored, was frightfully burned on Saturday morning last. The woman was doing some ironing and was standing with her back to the fire. A chunk rolled out of the fireplace and set her clothing on fire. She ran screaming to the front porch, and although assisted by a colored woman living near by, all of her clothing was burned from her body and she was so frightfully burned that she died from the effects of the burns Sunday night.

—Snow Hill Laconic: During the past week a very deplorable homicide occurred in Pitt county, about two and one half miles from Farmville One of the sons of the late Henry Jefferson, for years an inmate of the insane hospital at Raleigh, had retired for the night and was asleep, when the deceased, evidently insane and frenzied, obtained an entrance into his (the sleeping brother's) room, and began an attack upon him with a club, whereupon the arroused brother arose grapled with his assailant and forced him into the yard where in his own self defense he was finally compelled to deal a blow, fracturing the skull and causing death.

—Statesville Landmark: Mr. Mel Clark dropped in on the Landmark the other day to say there would be no killing frost until the seven stars before the 26th. There may be light frosts but no killing frost until about the period named, and Mr. Clark reinforced his seven star argument by citing the fact that the moon is too far south for a killing frost yet awhile. But a cold wave came along Saturday night and yesterday morning there was considerable frost and a little ice was reported. The seven stars had better move up a bit or the killing rise about dark, which will be on or frost may get ahead of them.

His Dear Old Mother.

"My dear old mother, who is now eighty three years old, thrives on Electric Bitters," writes W. B. Brunson, of Dublin, Ga. "She has taken them for about two years and enjoys an excellet appetite, feels strong and sleeps well." That's the way Electric Bitters affects the aged, and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weakness and general debility. Weak, puny children too, are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by R. R. Bellamy, Druggist. 50c.

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Recollection.

The stout man on the back platform declined to agree with the conductor. The conductor thought he hadn't paid his fare. The stout man was of the contrary opinion.

They exchanged harsh words over the matter.

"I gave you a nickel when I got aboard," said the stout man.

"I haven't taken in a nickel on this trip," said the conductor.

The stout man grew very red. His hair seemed to bristle.

"That's just enough of this," he growled. "I don't want to have any trouble with you. I had trouble with a conductor once. I'd hate to tell you what happened."

The conductor drew back a little and made no further attempt to collect the stout man's fare.

But when the stout man was about to alight from the car at the Pennsylvania crossing the conductor's curiosity was too much for him.

"Say," he asked, "what happened when you had that trouble with the other conductor?"

The stout man looked back.

"I was in the hospital six weeks," he mildly answered.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Face the Music."

There are several theories concerning the origin of the slang phrase "Face the music." It is said to have come from the army. One of the difficulties in training horses for the military service was that of getting them to face the regimental band without cutting up a rumpus.

Another authority says also that it is of military origin, but that it was applied to soldiers when they were drummed out to the tune of "The Rogue's March." Still another version is that it is used by actors behind the scenes when preparing to go on the stage to face the music literally.—Minneapolis Journal.

Sad Story.

Kind Lady—Do you mean to tell me that reading Shakespeare brought you to prison? What works did you read? No. 411—"Romeo an' Juliet," mum. Kind Lady—But what evil influence could that have on you? No. 411—Why, it learned me to be a porch climber, mum.—Puck.

Mistaken Identity.

"I just dropped in again today," said the lady, "to see those lovely sideboards you had last week"—

"Not me, ma'am," replied the callow furniture salesman. "I ain't never been able to raise even a mustache."—Philadelphia Press.

Three of a Kind and a Pair.

Hewitt—Our actor friend claimed that he played to a full house last night, and it turned out there were only five people in the audience. Jewett—Well, it was the regulation full house. There were three men in the gallery and a man and his wife downstairs.—New York Press.

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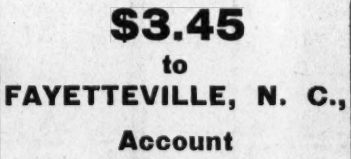

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S. S. Carib, Friday, Oct. 18, 1907.
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Wilmington to New York.
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STATEMENT CONDITION

The Murchison National Bank

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At the close of business October 1st, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$2,100,519 60
U. S. Bonds (at par)	350,000 00
Bank Building	25,000 00
Cash	942,318 21
	$3,417,837 81

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 500,000 00
Surplus and Net Profits	239,195 69
Circulation	300,000 00
Deposits	2,278,642 12
U. S. Bond Account	100,000 00
	$3,417,837 81

DEPOSITS

October 1st, 1905, $1,763,509 62
October 1st, 1906, $2,041,773 43
October 1st, 1907, $2,278,642 12

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NOTICE.

The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington	9.40 am	7.00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:50 pm	9:56 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	3:55 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	3:42 pm
Ar. Norfolk	8 25 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Wilson	1:58 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:42 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	6:25 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	10:05 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:43 am	11:20 am
Ar. Philadelphia	4:25 am	1:41 pm
Ar. New York	7:23 am	4:15 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv. New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	11:55 am	12:15 am
Ar. Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:46 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Ar. Norfolk	6:10 pm	8:30 am
Lv. Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar. Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar. Weldon	9:57 pm	11:28 am
Ar. Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	11:46 pm	1:53 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	6.15 am	3.12 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9.35 am	6.10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:30 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	am
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:37 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sav'n'h	6:45 pm	2:45 am	3:54 am
Ar. J'k'ville		9:00 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:15 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:20 am
Lv. Jacksonville	9:30 am	7:35 pm
Ar. Savannah	1:41 pm	11:59 am
Lv. Charleston	5:57 pm	5 20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:34 pm	8:55 am
Ar. Wilmington	1:10 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound. Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:40 am	Ar. 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar. 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv. 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

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	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv 9:35 am

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 16.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, firm 51 1-2 cents.

ROSIN—Market, quiet $3.85 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm $2.30.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.75 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip and $4.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm 65 1-4c; rosin, firm $3.65; tar, firm $2.20; crude turpentine, $3.25, $4.50; $4.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	52
Rosin	218
Tar	71
Crude Turpentine	63

Receipts—Same day last year, 73 casks spirits turpentine; 84 barrels rosin; 53 barrels tar; 30 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 11 3-16 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Firm 10 3-4 cents for middling.

Receipts—2,585 bales; same day last year, 3,728.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.40; extra prime, $1.50; fancy, $1.55 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—No. 1, $1.15; fancy, $1.20@$1.25; Spanish, $1.50@$1.60.

CORN—Firm, 80@82 1-2 per bushel for white; 78@80 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, 16c per pound; shoulders, 13@14c; sides, dull, 13@14.

EGGS—Firm, 25c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm at 15@30c for small; growns, dull 35c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27 to 28.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2 per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 1-2c per pound.

PORK—Out of season.

TURKEYS—Out of season.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, October 17.—The halting and irregular movement of prices of stocks today offered a confusing medium through which to try to discern any defined feeling towards the market. During the early part of the day this feeling was of a more active anxiety while later, with the subsidence of disquiet, there was still a passive apprehension that all was not yet clear in the prospect. Collapse in the United Copper stock in the curb market and the collateral consequences from that event were central influences on stocks, as they were yesterday. With the suspension of the board member of the firm concerned with the attempted corner in the stock and with the acts connected with it, which involved yesterday's failure of a Stock Exchange firm who had taken orders in that stock, and with the retirement of F. Augustus Heinz from the Mercantile National Bank, the limits of the trouble which has been looming on the stock market horizon became better defined and was rather less portentious as to effect on sentiment. The announcement that stock sheets had all passed successfully through the Stock Exchange clearing house relieved the market from its appearance of greatest depression.

A sharp break in the prices of wheat and corn was looked upon as promising increased takings for foreign account with probable effect in easing the foreign exchange rate. Prices showed a rallying tendency even after the announcement of the reduction in the Amalgamated Copper dividend. Bonds were easy. Total sales, par value, $2,002,000. United States 4s registered declined 1-4 and the coupons 1-2 per cent. on call. Total sales of stocks today were 875,800 shares.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 17.—Apprehensions as to the outcome of the December situation continued during today's trading in the cotton market causing great nervousness and irregularity. The close was steady at an advance of 7 points to a decline of 2 points. Sales were estimated at 200,000 bales.

The market opened steady at an advance of 10 points to a decline of 1 point, the near months showing a gain on continued covering of shorts and bull support. The weather map made a favorable showing and cables were no better than due, but the market worked up to a net advance of 4 to 8 points on the active months generally, during the first hour with December selling 39 points over January. The upward movement was checked at this point by reports that cotton was offering at Savannah late yesterday in considerable amounts at prices which would permit of shipments here for delivery on December above 11.25 and during the middle session prices eased under realizing and bear pressure which was also encouraged by reports that an official of a Texas organization had predicted a break among holders. After showing a net loss of 2 to 7 points the market rallied toward the close on covering by room shorts and Southwestern bull support. Last prices were generally net higher. A cable from India reported a very poor outlook for the Indian crop and mail advices indicated a poor crop outlook there.

Receipts of cotton at the ports today were 41,984 bales against 34,669 bales last week and 56,827 last year. For the week 290,000 bales against 239,771 last week and 370,477 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 3,437 bales against 11,706 last year.

Spot cotton closed steady. Middling uplands 11.75; middling gulf 12c; sales 619 bales.

Futures opened and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	Close.
October	10.10	11.08
November	11.04	11.04
December	11.30	11.24
January	10.83	10.80
February		
March	10.80	10.84
April	10.81	10.83
May	10.81	10.83
June		10.80
July	10.79	10.75
August	10.67	10.66

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 17.—Flour dull.

CORN MEAL—Barely steady.

WHEAT—Spot weak, No. 2 red 1.10 elevator. Options demoralized and weak. December 1.13 7-8; May 1.14 5-8.

CORN—Spot weak, No. 2 73 1-2 elevator. No. 2 white 75 and No. 2 yellow 74 1-2 f o b afloat. Options 1 1-4 to 2 5-8 net lower. December 73 3-8, May 70 3-4.

OATS—Spot steady; mixed 56.

LARD—Firm. Refined steady.

PORK—Firm.

TALLOW—Steady.

RICE—Firm.

MOLASSES—Steady.

SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining 3.40. Centrifugal 96 test 3.90; molasses sugar 3.05. Refined steady.

COFFEE—Spot quiet; No. 7 Rio 6 3-8, Santos No. 4, 8 1-8; mild coffee steady, Cordova 9 1-4 to 12 3-4. Futures closed steady net unchanged to 10 points higher.

CHEESE—Firm, unchanged.

EGGS—Steady, unchanged.

FREIGHTS—Quiet, unchanged.

PEANUTS—Quiet, unnchanged.

POTATOES—Steady. State and Pennsylvania in bulk per 100 pounds 1.75 to 2.12.

CABBAGES—Easy 6.00 to 10.00 per ton.

COTTON SEED OIL—Firm and higher on light offerings and bullish spot, prime crude 33 1-2 to 34. Prime summer yellow 50; off summer yellow 46 1-4 to 49; good off summer yellow 46 3-4 to 49; prime white 56; prime winer yellow 56.

New York Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	105
U. S. refunding 2s cou	105
U. S. 3s reg	101 3-4
U. S. 3s cou	102 1-2
U. S. new, 4s reg ex int	121
U. S. new 4s cou	122 1-2
American Tobacco Co. 4s	60
American Tobacco Co. 6s	90 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	87
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	97
L. & N. Unified 4s	95 1-4
Seaboard Air Line	65
Seaboard Railway	99 1-2
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	91 7-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	49 3-8
American Car & Foundry	28 1-2
Amr. Car & Foundry pfd	83 3-4
American Cotton Oil	29 1-2
American Cotton Oil pfd	70
American Locomotive	45 1-2
American Locomotive pfd	95
American Smelting & Ref	70 5-8
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd	84 1-2
American Sugar Refining	105
American Tobacco pfd cert	70
Atchison	80
Atchison pfd	85 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	70
Baltimore & Ohio	85 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	83
Chesapeake & Ohio	29 1-8
Kansas City Southern	23
Kansas City Southern pfd	52 1-4
L. & N.	100 1-8
New York, Central	101 3-4
Norfolk & Western	67
Norfolk & Western pfd	77
Pennsylvania	117 3-8
People's Gas	80
Reading	88 1-8
Reading 1st pfd	75
Reading 2nd pfd	73 7-8
Rock Island Co	15 1-2
Rock Island Co. pfd	42 3-4
Southern Pacific	73 1-4
Southern Pacific pfd	107 1-2
Southern Railway	12 5-8
Southern Railway pfd	44
Tenn. Coal & Iron	135
U. S. Steel	22 3-4
U. S. Steel pfd	82 7-8
Va-Car. Chemical	17
Va-Car. Chemical pfd	86
Seaboard Air Line	
Seaboard Air Line pfd	
Standard Oil	416
Western Union	67 1-2

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 11 3-4; net receipts, 8,030.

New Orleans—Nominal, 11 3-8; net receipts, 3,437.

Mobile—Steady, 11 3-8; net receipts, 3,131.

Savannah—Steady, 11 1-8; net receipts, 13,913.

Charleston—Firm, 11 1-8; net receipts, 2,262.

Wilmington—Steady, 11 3-16; net receipts, 285.

Norfolk—Steady, 11 5-8; net receipts, 2,548.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 5-8.

New York—Steady, 11.75.

Philadelphia—Steady, 12.

Total today at all ports—Net receipts, 41,984; Great Britain, 19,058; Continent, 20,187; Japan, 545; stock, 553,900.

Consolidated at all ports—Net receipts, 231,581; Great Britain, 83,758; France, 16,279; Continent, 54,846; Japan, 1,723.

Total since September 1 at all ports—Net receipts, 1,207,732; Great Britain, 357,804; France, 95,621; continent, 320,907; Japan, 2,059; Mexico, 200.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 11 3-4; net receipts, 6,023.

Augusta—Quiet, 11 7-16; net receipts, 3,346.

Memphis—Quiet, 11 5-8; net receipts 2,929.

St. Louis—Steady, 11 3-4; net receipts, 140.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 254.

Louisville—Firm, 12.

Little Rock—Steady, 11 1-8; net receipts, 1,000.

Total today—Net receipts, 1,369; gross receipts, 15,477; shipments, 11,199; sales, 5,829; stock, 159,076.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Wheat prices on the local exchange broke nearly 3 cents a bushel from the final figures of yesterday. At the close the December delivery showed a net loss of 2 Oats were off 1 1-8 to 1 1-4. Provisions were 2 1-2 to 5 to 7 1-2 cents lower.

Leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—December, 1.02 1-2 to 5-8; May, 1.08 1-8 to 1-4; July, 1.01 3-4.

Corn—December, 61; May, 62 1-8 to 1-4; July, 61 3-4.

Oats—December, 53 5-8 to 3-4; May, 55 3-4 to 7-8; July, 49 3-4.

Mess pork, per barrel—January, 15.85; May, 16.17 1-2.

Lard, per 100 pounds—November, 9.25; January, 9.02 1-2; May, 9.20.

Short ribs, per 100 pounds—8.12 1-2; May, 8.37 1-2.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, easy to 10c lower; No. 2 Spring wheat, 1.16@1.18; No. 3, 1.02@1.17 1-2; No. 2 red, 1.00 1-2@1.03; No. 2 corn, 63 3-4; No. 2 yellow, 63 3-4@64 1-2; No. 2 oats, 53; No. 3 white, 50@53 1-2; No. 2 rye, 86; short ribs sides (loose), 7.87 1-2@8.50; mess pork, per barrel, 14,85@14.87 1-2; lard, per 100 pounds, 9.25; short clear sides (boxed), 8.62 1-2@8.87 1-2; whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.35.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Oct. 17.—Cotton: Spot, good business done; price, 4 points higher. American middling, fair 7.13; good middling, 6.73; middling, 6.53; low middling, 6.17; good ordinary, 5.57; ordinary, 4.97. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export, and included 9,800 American. Receipts, 200 bales, all American. Futures opened steady and closed quiet. American middling, G. O. C.: October, 6.16; October and November, 6.08; November and December, 5.99; December and January, 5.95 1-2; January and February, 5.92; February and March, 5.91; March and April, 5.88 1-2; April and May, 5.87 1-2; May and June, 5.86 1-2; June and July, 5.85; July and August, 5.82 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 17.—The dry goods market was quiet today and buyers held off in consequence of the unsettled condition in the Western jobbing markets. Menswear lines were quiet and duplicate orders came in slowly. The tight money market caused considerable re-selling of contracts.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 17.—Money on call, strong and higher, 4@7 per cent.; ruling rate, 6; closing bid, 5; offered at 6 per cent. Time loans quiet, but firm; sixty days and ninety days, 6 1-2; six months, 6. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 7 per cent. Sterling ex change, steady with actual business in baners' bills at 4.8615@4.8620 for demand, and at 4.8230@4.8235 for sixty-day bills. Commercial bills, 4.81 7-8. Bar silver, 60 7-8. Mexican dollars, 47 1-4.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 17.—Turpentine quiet; rosin firm.

Savannah, Oct. 17.—Spirits turpentine steady; sales 723; regulars 51 3-4.

Rosin, sales 2,893; receipts 1,896; shipments 4,630; stocks 80,110. Quote: A. B. C., 4.25; D, 4.25 to 4.30; E, 4.30 to 4.35; F, 4.50 to 4.55; G, 4.52 1-2 to 4.55; H, 4.65 to 4.67 1-2; I, 4.67 1-2 to 4.70; K, 4.70 to 4.80; M, 4.90 to 5.05; N, 5.25 to 5.30; WG, 5.70 to 5.75; WW, 5.90 to 5.95. Spirits, receipts 438; shipments 3,506.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Str. Johnson, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, to master.

CLEARED.

Str. Johnson, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, to master.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct 17. 1907.

C. C. Railroad—181 bales cotton, 1 cask spirits turpentine, 3 barrels rosin, 18 barrels tar, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—729 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 18 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—1,238 bales cotton, 8 casks spirits turpentine, 15 barrels tar, 7 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—359 bales cotton, 21 casks spirits turpentine, 141 barrels rosin, 20 barrels tar.

Str. Alice—4 casks spirits turpentine, 1 barrel crude turpentine.

Str. Johnson—50 bales cotton, 1 cask spirits turpentine, 74 barrels rosin, 18 barrels tar, 33 barrels crude turpentine.

Str May Flower—28 bales cotton, 13 casks spirits turpentine.

Total—2,585 bales cotton, 52 casks spirits turpentine, 218 barrels rosin, 71 barrels tar, 63 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Glanton (Br.), 1,941 tons, Stevenson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Thomas Wayman (Br.) 1,414 tons Johnson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

King George (Br.), 2,479 tons, Burnett, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Jura (Br.), 2,398 tons, Fellows, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Barques.

Hancock, 348 tons, Erb, C. D. Maffitt.

Schooners.

Harriet C. Kerlin, 458 tons, Cochran, C. D. Maffitt.

Clifford N. Carver, 973 tons, Olsen, C. D. Maffitt.

Massachusetts, 437 tons, Lane, C. D. Maffitt.

City of Georgetown, 506 tons, Slocum, Maffitt.

READ THE STAR BUSINESS LO-

THE LETTER THAT WAS NEVER SENT.

[Original.]

Frank Littlefield stood on the porch looking up at the sky, then down on the vista before the house, then at the dewdrops on the flowers in the front yard. There is nothing like a beautiful summer morning to make one feel a delicious gladness. There was more than this to make Littlefield glad. He had come home to spend a two weeks' vacation after a very busy season in the city. He had for months been working, not only days, but nights, and when at last it became expedient for him to knock off he was presented with a handsome check by his employers and a considerable raise of salary.

These blessings led up to another possible happiness. When Littlefield went to the city he had left at home a school friend or love; he did not at the time exactly know which, but had since learned that the latter word better expressed his feelings. He had been farseeing for a boy of eighteen and had contented himself with enjoying Louise Phillips' companionship without making a complication between them. He was going to another field to make his way as best he could without influence or means, and he felt that he had no right to enter upon an affair that might stand in the girl's way matrimonially. But now he was to receive a competence for two he had returned anxious to meet his old schoolmate and see how she appeared to him after an absence during which she had passed from sixteen to twenty-one.

Swinging a cane in his hand, he stepped down from the porch and out on to the walk that lined the road. It was not the best time of day to make a call, especially on his old companion. Indeed, he was especially averse to haste. He would devote the two weeks before him to renewing his intimacy, studying his own desires and those of Miss Phillips. If at the end of the fortnight all was propitious he would tell his story and abide the result. But, though he did not intend to make a call at 9 o'clock in the morning, his steps naturally fell toward the home of the person who occupied his thoughts. He had not gone far before he saw coming a woman whose walk was familiar. As she approached he saw that she was Miss Phillips. But the bud had opened. Every vestige of the child had disappeared. He saw a vision of loveliness that made his pulses throb.

"Miss Phillips?" he asked, raising his hat.

"Mr. Littlefield!" she replied, starting. Indeed, she appeared confused, so much so as to drop a letter she carried in her hand. Littlefield picked it up and handed it to her. He noticed that it was addressed to a man. He took fright at once. To whom could she be writing? The castle he had erected in his mind tottered. Then confidence was momentarily restored. Why assume that she was writing to a lover?

"When did you come?" she asked.

"Last evening. May I join you? I'm only strolling."

"Certainly. It's a long while since I've seen you. You've not been home since you left, I believe?"

"Yes, once or twice, but you happened to be away."

She was fumbling the letter in her hands. Presently she dropped it again. Frank restored it to her.

"Is the letter hot?" he asked.

"Hot? How could it be hot?"

"It seems to burn your fingers."

A deep scarlet spread itself all over her face. It was the breaking of a signal flag. That the man knew well enough. But what was the interpretation? Littlefield, with a lover's proneness to panic, read, "The letter is to my fiance." Then hope came and suggested that perhaps it was an acceptance of a fiance. At any rate, it was plain to him that instead of taking a fortnight to look over the ground he must exert himself to save the day if, indeed, it was not too late.

"I think," he went on, "that you had better let me put your letter in my pocket, not having a pocket yourself."

He took it from her, she not resisting, but instead of putting it in his pocket he took it in his hands preparatory to tearing it in two.

"What are you going to do that for?" she asked.

"Something tells me that you have written this letter without sufficient deliberation—that you don't wish to send it."

"No; I deliberated a long while. There is every reason why I should send it."

"But one."

"What's that?"

"Love, or, rather, the absence of it."

Again the signal. This time it was not a crimson flag, but a troubled look. He tore the letter in halves, then in quarters, then in eighths and kept on ad infinitum. It seemed that he could not get the parts small enough.

"What right have you to do that?"

"The right of possession. It's nine points in the law."

"I can compel you to write another in its stead."

"That I shall be happy to do."

"You don't know what to say."

"I can fix it so that there shall be no reply for you to answer."

"Why would you do that?"

"Because I prefer to have you for my own correspondent, and one is quite enough."

The confession came in time from the young lady that Littlefield had been right. She had an offer from a man who could support her handsomely and had after a long struggle made up her mind to accept him. Littlefield turned the scale in the nick of time.

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Berlin Establishment Fails With Liabilaties Estimated at $7,500,000.

COPPER MAGNATE INVOLVED

Butte Bank in Which He is Interested Suspends—Berlin Failure Causes Houston Banker to Throw Up the Sponge.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Hamburg, Oct. 15.—The old private banking firm of Haller Soehle & Co. failed today. The liabilities of the firm are variously stated, and it was estimated early in the day that they were in the neighborhood of $5,000,000, but the Hamburger Nachrichten says this afternoon it is informed by a banker who is in a position to know the facts that the liabilities will reach $7,500,000. This will make the crash of this firm the biggest bank failure in Germany since the famous break down of the Leipziger Bank in June, 1901. The assets of the firm have not yet been ascertained, but in banking circles the capital of the partners is declared to be $2,250,000.

Nearly all the joint stock and private banks in Hamburg are affected in varying degrees by this failure, but a number of them say that the claims are adequately secure.. Among the firm's liabilities are acceptances for $3,750,000. The largest amount held by any individual house seems to be $175,000 in the hands of the Verins bank.

The difficulties of the firm arose chiefly from its connection with a mining company at Teplitz, Bohemia, in which much capital was locked up. In addition the firm had interests in several coal mines in Austria and was concerned in several real estate ventures. Near Vienna it had established a so-called "Caumacite" works, designed to exploit a new method of developing unusually high temperature furnaces. In connection with this enterprise was a glass factory. It is also declared that Haller, Soehle & Co. had put considerable sums in real estate mortgages. All these assets are hard to convert into cash without heavy loss, but the bankers holding the paper of the firm believe the liabilities probably can be met if liquidation is not too much hurried.

The failure created a panicky condition on the bourse and various sensational rumors were in circulation. According to one report, Haller, Soehle & Co. were heavily hit by the fall in coppers and affected by the difficulties of Otto Heinze & Co., but this is apparently a mistake.

Houston Banker Fails.

Houston, Tex., Oct. 17.—T. W. House, private banker, today filed a general assignment under the State law. A. B. Chew, W. D. Cleveland and J. S. Rice were named as assignees. They gave bond in the sum of $100,000 before Judge Norman G. Kittrell. It is stated that the resources are sufficient to pay creditors 100 cents on the dollar.

Inability to realize on securities not really convertible into cash is the only cause given for the assignment. The House bank was established in 1838 by the father of the present banker. The bank was not incorporated, and has never made a statement of any character of its affairs. House has enormous holdings of land and other investments in many portions of Texas, and has been rated as one of the State's wealthiest citizens. It is said that the bank has deposits of more than $2,000,000.

The failure today of the banking institution in Hamburg is said to have had a direct influence on the failure. The first intimation of the embarrassment was when all the clearing house bank checks were thrown out this afternoon after a prolonged meeting of the clearing house directors.

Run on Montana Savings Bank.

Butte, Mont., Oct. 17.—The State Savings Bank closed its doors this morning soon after opening. A run had been precipitated because of stories received over private wires that the firm of Otto Heinze & Co., of New York, and a large German bank in Berlin had failed. These interests are closely identified with A. Heinze in his copper mining operations. Heinze is the largest stockholder and a director in the State Savings Bank, which has deposits of $4,250,000.

A large crowd gathered in front of the bank, but considering the circumstances and conditions, was quiet and undemonstrative, although there were occasional cries demanding revenge on Heinze and his institutions.

SUICIDE BY DYNAMITE

Stuck it in Teeth and Blew Off His Head.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

York, Pa., Oct. 17.—Jacob Ditlinger, aged 59 years, of this city, committed suicide tonight in an unusual manner. Placing a stick of dynamite in his mouth and holding it in his right hand Ditlinger exploded the dynamite, blowing ihs head off and shattering the hand that held the explosive. Last Tuesday Ditlingen, who was a well digger by occupation, lost a sum of money said to have been $40. He brooded over this and finally began drinking as a result. Tonight he entered the kitchen of his boarding house with the dynamite and some matches in his hand.

"Well, here goes to end it all," he said. He handled dynamite in his business and as he had often made such threats before, no attention was paid to him. He went into the yard and in a few moments there was

PANICKY TIMES IN NEW YORK

Two Big Bank Failures and Other Depressing Sensations on Exchange.

COPPER CORNER COLLAPSED

Butte Savings Bank, in Which Copper Magnate is Interested, Suspends. Biggest Bank Failure in Germany Since 1901.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 17.—Sensations followed each other in rapid succession in the financial district today as the result of the collapse of the projected corner in United Copper and the suspension of a prominent brokerage firm yesterday.

The firm of Otto Heinze & Co. was suspended on the Stock Exchange.

F. Augustus Heinze, the Butte Copper magnate, resigned the presidency of the Mercantile National Bank of New York.

The Amalgamated Copper Company at its directors meeting cut its quarterly dividend from 2 per cent. to 1 per cent..

The directors of the Boston and Montana Copper Company declared a quarterly dividend of $6 in place of a former dividend of $12.

The failure of Haller, Soehle & Co., prominent bankers of Hamburg, Germany, with liabilities that may reach $7,500,000, was announced.

The State Savings Bank, of Butte, Mont., of which the Heinzes' are the principal stockholders, suspended.

As a result of these sensations the stock market was halting and irregular, but there was an apparent feeling that the break of the attempted corner in United Copper had cleared the atmosphere somewhat, and the market rallied before the close.

The suspension of Otto Heinze & Co., of which firm Max M. Schultze is the Stock Exchange member, was based on a complaint to the exchange made by Gross & Kleeberg, the Stock Exchange firm which failed yesterday. In a communication to the president of the exchange this firm charged Otto Heinze & Co., with refusing to accept 3,222 shares of United Copper said to have been bought on the order of the Heinze firm. This action, Gross & Kleeberg state, was responsible for their failure. Attorneys for this firm stated today that the amount owing to the firm by the Heinze firm aggregates $600.000.

The Heinze firm announced that it is perfectly solvent and that all its legal obligations will be met. The attorneys say that the suspension by the Stock Exchange was accepted by the firm in order to give the latter an opportunity to sift its legal obligations from numerous claims which have been made against it and which it is alleged are not legal obligations.

The resignation of F. Augustus Heinze from the presidency of the Mercantile National Bank, it is said, was decided on at a midnight meeting at the home of C. W. Morse, who is largely interested in the bank. It was announced this morning that Mr. Heinze at the same time is out in a statement in which he said that his resignation was due to the fact that he wished to devote all of his time to straightening out the business of his brother's firm. He stated posititvely that he had not disposed of his holdings in the bank and that the contro' would be where it had been and that he would continue as a director. William B. Ridgley, at present United States Comptroller of the Currency, has been tendered the office of president of the Mercantile National Bank, but has not yet decided whether or not he will accept.

The low price of refined copper, which dropped even lower today, and the disorganized condition of that metal in the market, is the reason given for the reduction of the dividend in the copper companies. The announcement of the Amalgamated quarterly dividend of one per cent. came as a surprise. While it was known that there was to be a reduction, 1 3-4 per cent. was the lowest dividend expected.

The failure of the Hamburg firm and the Butte Bank both followed closely on the news of the suspension of the Heinze firm on the Stock Exchange. The German firm is said to have lost heavily in the recent drop in coppers, and yesterday's and today's developments on the New York Exchange are said to have forced the failure.

The Butte bank was largely controlled by the Heinze interests, F. Augustus Heinze being the principal stockholder, and news of the Otto Heinze suspension on the Stock Exchange and of the failure of the Hamburg firm precipitated a run which immediately caused the suspension of the bank. In a statement issued by the officers it was declared that the bank is perfectly solvent and that the suspension is solely for the purpose of gaining time to arrange the bank's affairs.

A number of meetings were held today in the offices of Otto Heinze & Co., but no statement of any kind was given out. It is said that the claims against the firm, growing principally out of the attempted corner in United Copper, may reach $2,500,000.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

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SUCCESS WAS ACHIEVED

From Five to Ten Thousand Words Sent Across Atlantic Ocean Without Wires—High Wind Was Blowing During Service.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Glace Bayns, Cape Breton, Oct. 17.—The inauguration of a regular trans-Atlantic wireless service was accomplished by William Marconi and his assistants today. Mr. Marconi stated tonight that more than 5,000 words had been transmitted from the station at Port Morien, six miles from here, and the Irish station.

Invitations to a large number of guests were issued for 2 o'clock this afternoon, but the world-wide interest in the undertaking brought a flood of messages in the early morning and the service was opened shortly after daylight. Among those present at the opening of the new service were representatives of a score of British and American newspapers.

"I am entirely satisged with the result," said Mr. Marconi. "Everything has worked splendidly; we are going to operate a limited service for a time, but we have already handled from 5,000 to 10,000 words today on account of its being a special day and a large number of congratulatory and press messages having been exchanged between London and New York. We did not transmit commercial or private messages as a rule today, as we made a sort of press day. You cannot call it an inaugural or opening. We had our real opening two years ago when telegrams were passed by our system between the President and the King. I am in deed pleased with the result."

The inventor expressed absolute confidence in the triumph achieved in trans-Atlantic communication and in the future of long distance wireless telegraphy.

The station is situated on a bleak projection of the Cape Breton coast, immediately overlooking the ocean. A high wind was blowing when the press representatives arrived but they were assured that the condition of the weather made no difference in wireless communication.

There are twenty-four pine masts, 180 feet high, arranged in a circle of 3,000 feet diameter. The masts are wider and are connected with the four lower forming the center of the circle. The towers are wooden, 215 feet high and surmounted by masts fifty feet in height.

Among the messages which were transmitted today was one from Sir Hiram Maxim and a telegram from the London Daily Mail to President Roosevelt. The principal advance in long distance sending which Marconi has made in two years work is described as the perfecting of a receiver many times more sensitive than the original instrument. Details have been kept secret.

EPISCOPAL CONVENTION

Two Missionary Bishops Elected—May Choose Negro Bishops.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Richmond, Va., Oct. 17.—The House of Bishops of the Episcopal General Convention, in private counsel today, elected the Rev. Frederick Foulke Reese, D. D., of Christ School, Nashville, Tenn., as bishop of the missionry district of Wyoming, and the Rev. Henry Deane Robinson, president of Racine College, Racine, Wis., as bishop of the missionary district of Nevada. Both elections were agreed upon after frequent ballotting. The Rev. Dr. Reese was once rector of St. Marks church, Baltimore. Both men elected are in Richmond as members of the House of Deputies.

As usual, the morning hour of both houses of the convention was devoted to routine business. At 5 o'clock P. M., there was a meeting in the interest of men and missions, and at 8 P. M., public missionary meetings in two of the city churches. The principal business in the House of Bishops today was the negro question.

The House of Bishops refused to concur in the action of the House of Deputies in their rejection of a resolution presented by the bishops asking the establishment of provinces. The matter was referred to a committee on conferences.

The suffragan bill was passed by the House of Bishops tonight. This is the same bill that was passed by the House of Deputies of the General Convention on yesterday, so that this is a settlement of the negro question as far as the Episcopal Church is concerned. The suffragan bishops will only be elected in those dioceses which demand it, and will have a seat in the House of Bishops without a vote. They may be either white or negro bishops and may work either among the negroes or among the white people. It is understood, however, that many of them will ask for negro suffragan bishops to work among the negroes, these bishops being under the immediate control of the white bishops of the diocese in which they work. It is thought the negro question will not disturb further the present convention.

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(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 17.—John McNeill, poet and raconteur, whose contributions in verse and prose to the Charlotte Observer and one of the leading magazines, have attracted national attention, died this afternoon at his ancestral home in Scotland county, aged 33 years. He was a master of arts of Wake Forest college and for some time professor of English in Mercer University. He had published one volume of verse under the title "Songs, Merry and Sad" and a second "Under The Persimmon Tree," was in preparation.

In 1905 President Roosevelt personally presented him with the Patterson Memorial Cup for the most gifted work of the year. He came of a distinguished line of Scotch ancestry.

SEVERE DROP IN WHEAT.

Price of Options Declined Three Cents in Chicago.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Wheat experienced a severe drop on the board of trade today, the December option declining nearly 3 cents, while the May option was down 2 7-8. The low price for December today was 1.02, against the closing price yesterday of 1.04 7-8; the low price for 1.05 7-8, against yesterday's close of 1.10 -14. The severe decline was attributed to the weak condition of the stock market and a decline of 5 cents at Winnipeg, where, it is said, the receipts are steadily increasing. The bears had things pretty much their own way throughout the day and the occasional rallies were feeble in character.

A Criminal Attack

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Special Schedule on Suburban Line Today.

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Cars will leave Front and Princess streets at 10 A. M., 11:30 A. M., 1:00 P. M., 5:00 P. M., 7:00 P. M., 9:00 P. M., 11:00 P. M.

Cars leave Beach at 10:45 A. M., 12:15 A. M., 2:15 P. M., 4:15 P. M., 6:15 P. M., 8:15 P. M., 10:15 P. M.

Regular city cars will turn back at 9th and Princess streets. Passengers will transfer at this point Front and Princess streets. **

October, 17, 1907.

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Ar. Hamlet ..	8:25 A. M.	8:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet ..	8:45 A. M.	9:15 P. M.
Ar. Monroe ..	10:50 A. M.	11:15 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte ..	11:45 A. M.	12:15 A. M.
Lv. Ch'lotte ..	5:00 P. M.	10:00 A. M.
Ar. Ruth'f'd'n.	9:00 P. M.	1:42 P. M.

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